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Public meeting budget data not public, NG decides

News Staff

It doesn't appear likely that North Glengarry residents will have much information on the upcoming municipal budget before it is approved by township council.

North Glengarry council passed a resolution recently instructing staff not to turn over any budget documents to *The Glengarry News,* even though the documents were discussed at budget meetings which are open to the public. The dates, however, for those meetings were not publicized.

The News had hoped to produce a story on the budget but recent requests for documents were denied by North Glengarry treasurer Annie Levac, who was acting on the instructions of township council.

Related documents had been given to *The News* earlier.

"That was an accident," said Mayor Bill Franklin.

The News was following up on earlier public budget meetings which dealt with waste collection and disposal, emergency management planning, fire services and drainage when its request for documents was denied.

The intent was to provide the public with information on what council and township staff were considering in this year's budget.

The mayor, however, sees it differently.

"It serves no purpose to publish those (figures)" before council can "give them a full evaluation."

He categorized the information council pores over as part of "work in process" comparing the request "akin to asking for my notes, before I have the time to make decisions on them."

As a result the exercise could become "sort of counter-productive" and might "cause a controversy."

Nonetheless, he said the media and public are welcome to attend as these "open" meetings.

He cautioned, however, that these proceedings are not suited to spectators being "participatory."

It was pointed out to the mayor that the City of Cornwall's budget process is covered in-depth by media there.

"Many councils have staff prepare the budget and then bring it to council for fine-tuning," he said of the practices of other municipalities. "We basically build it as we

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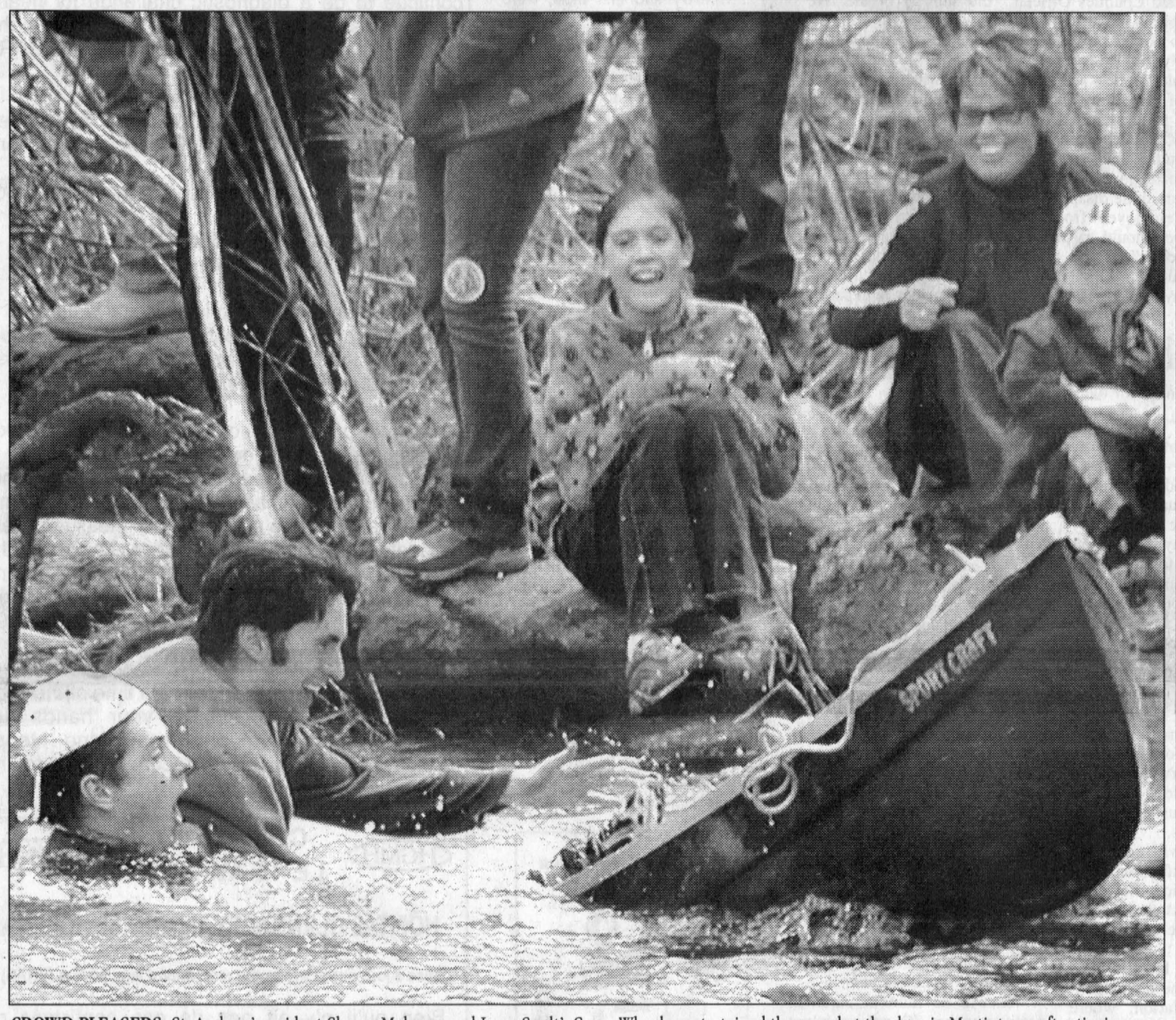

CROWD PLEASERS: St. Andrew's resident Shawn Maloney and Long Sault's Corey Wheeler entertained the crowd at the dam in Martintown after tipping over during the 30th annual Raisin River White Water Canoe Race held on Sunday. For more on race see pages 3, 15 and 17. TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

South Glengarry working towards tax hike of 3.9%

BY SUE HARRINGTON
News Correspondent

Residents of South Glengarry should see a 3.95 per cent increase overall on their property tax bills this year, if the municipality passes its proposed budget.

The increase, which includes the counties, township and educational components of the bill, will mean a resident whose property has been assessed at $100,000, will pay an extra $59 in property taxes.

South Glengarry Council held its annual budget deliberations on Thursday, doing a little adding and subtracting, before instructing clerk-treasurer Michel Samson to come up with the final budget document, which will see an increase of 8.12 per cent in the township's requirements.

Mr. Samson told *The News* he wasn't sure when the budget would be passed by council.

Council's heftiest chop was a $69,000 net requirement for the new ambulance base in Lancaster, after it learned that construction costs to transfix the unfinished bay in the Lancaster Firehall into a home for the ambulance, would exceed the $75,000 budgeted for the project.

Council will determine, along with Land Ambulances administration, what would be the minimum requirements necessary for the bay. Council will also investigate whether construction costs should be fully funded in this year's budget, or whether they should be funded from reserves with the understanding that annual lease revenues ($6,000) would be transferred back to the reserves.

The City of Cornwall's delay in getting its aquatic centre started, allowed another $25,000 to be taken out of the budget. In 1991 South Glengarry had committed $25,000 per year for five years to the project.

Mayor Dave MacDonald said that he would like to have more information about what is going on with the pool project.

"There's been no shovel in the ground yet," said the mayor, who suggested that the first $25,000 installment be deferred until next year.

The subject of grants and donations sparked a little discussion about South Glengarry's commitment to the Highland Games, with Mayor MacDonald reiterating his recent comments about Games' officials approaching Counties Council after already having secured a $50,000 donation ($10,000 annually for five years) from South Glengarry. With the Counties voting to donate $50,000 to the Maxville event, it means South Glengarry residents will be forking over another $11,000 on top of the $50,000.

"It was the principle of the thing," said the mayor. "When people come to us and then to the Counties – we should have a policy."

But Councillor Ian McLeod said that the Games provide a lot of "indirect benefits" for South Glengarry, and should be supported. Calling it the "best show, bar none," Coun. McLeod said the Highland Games provide a reason "to bring everyone back to Glengarry."

A request from South Glengarry's fire departments for an $18,000 thermo-imaging camera, which can see if there are hot spots behind walls, was axed after it was felt that one camera shared by all departments would create difficulties. However, other "wish list" items from the fire chiefs, including a dry hydrant study, hepatitis "B" shots for firemen, and maintenance of the smoke house property, remained in the budget.

The roads budget – the biggest gobbler of township funds – was given an additional $25,000 for the construction of three guiderails on township roads this year. The decision to top up the guiderail budget to $70,000 came after Coun. McLeod pointed out that there were some "very deficient, very libelous, guiderails" in the municipality.

Of $210,000 set aside for Purcell and Tyotown Road culvert reconstruction, $150,000 will now be used for an engineering design for the realignment of Purcell Road.

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Council upholds planning decision on quarry

BY KRISTINA WILSON
News Reporter

It was a long-awaited small victory for Quarries are the Pits at North Glengarry's regular council meeting Monday evening.

The meeting was held, coincidently, at the Dunvegan Recreation Hall.

Expecting a lot of discussion, North Glengarry council placed its decision regarding Cornwall Gravel's quarry application last on the agenda. But the matter was dealt with in only minutes.

Councillors unanimously approved the planning committee's recommendation that Cornwall Gravel's "application for the Amendment to the Official Plan and Official Plan designation and Zoning bylaw designation" be declined.



THE RIGHT CHOICE: Dunvegan-area residents express approval for council decision on quarry at meeting Monday night. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

Council first had to vote on other planning committee recommendations, then proceeded to the quarry recommendation.

Township planner Terry Hart was on hand, prepared with a presentation in case any additional information was required or any questions on the committee's recommendation arose. But it was not needed.

"(The quarry application is) going to end up at the Ontario Municipal Board (OMB) anyway," Mayor Bill Franklin said before the vote. But the committee feels it's a defensible decision."

Kenyon ward councillor Julie Akkermans asked for the vote to be recorded. Lochiel ward councillor Ron MacDonell was absent from the meeting, but all other members of council voted "yes."

When the mayor declared the decision was carried, the assembly burst into applause.

Dunvegan area resident James Joyce, who launched the Quarries are the Pits protest group, told *The News* after the meeting he is pleased but cautious.

"It's still early days," he said, "but it's good to have council behind us."

Mr. Joyce said the next issue, now that the zoning change has been declined, is the licencing process.

Cornwall Gravel has two years from the beginning of the application process to obtain its licence to operate the quarry. Once those two years expire, the company must start the process over from scratch.

"The ball is in Cornwall Gravel's court," Mr. Joyce said. "They have to respond to all the letters of objection and they have not responded to one letter yet."

As part of the licence application process, Cornwall Gravel must satisfy the Ministry of Natural Resources that it has dealt with all objections raised by letter.

The change to the township's official plan and zoning bylaw are required elements of the application process. Cornwall Gravel cannot

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Holiday hours

The Glengarry News office will be closed for the Good Friday statutory holiday on April 18.

Deadlines for classified, display ads and editorial will not change.

The staff at *The Glengarry News* would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Easter weekend.

NG voters will head to the phones, not polls in next municipal election

BY KRISTINA WILSON
News Reporter

The way voters make their mark will be changing in the township of North Glengarry.

Rather than the traditional paper ballots and polls, council has decided to go with telephone and Internet voting for the 2003 municipal election.

The service will be offered by a L'Orignal company, Wispra Inc. Joe Church, the company's president, made a presentation to council on April 7.

Council carried the motion to go with Internet and telephone voting at its April 14 meeting.

Clerk/administrator Leo Poirier explained the cost would be a maximum of $5 per eligible voter if the participation rate is 65 per cent or more.

This cost includes validation of the eligible voter list; printing, stuffing, mailing and postage for voter information letters; training

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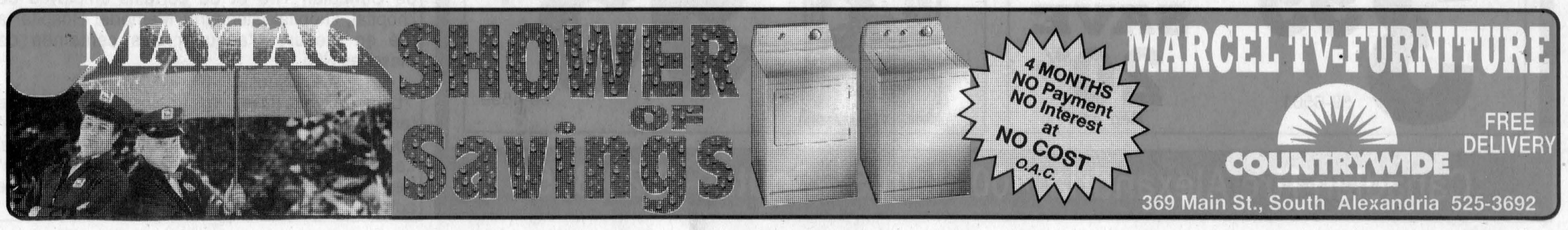

Banner year increases need for new homes here

By Greg Peerenboom
News Editor

The local economy should benefit from another busy year of new-home building

"This year we're way down in (house) inventory – there's not enough properties for sale," said Rickerd Realty broker Claire Secours-Rickerd, a Glengarry director on the Cornwall and District Real Estate Board.

The drop in inventory could lead to more work for construction contractors.

"I would guess there would be a fairly large amount of building this year," she said.

Continued low interest rates, strong local employment, local first-time buyers and newcomers from Quebec are factors which fuel the high demand.

"Last year's sales (included) properties that hadn't sold previously. People were very eager to buy with low-interest rates," Mrs. Secours-Rickerd said.

Realty sales district	Unit sales '02	Unit sales '01	Average value '02	Average value '01
Alexandria	47	44	$85,132	$94,114
Lochiel	26	22	$86,154	$90,514
Lancaster Twp.	82	61	$127,737	$124,387
Kenyon	51	40	$93,768	$84,598
Charlottenburgh	108	100	$130,178	$114,375

While demand should remain strong, sales might not be able to keep pace.

"This year so far it's quieter – there's not much (property) out there.

"People are reluctant to list (for selling) because they don't see much to move into," she said, comparing it to a chain reaction.

One of the keys to ensuring long-term supply is lifting Alexandria's development freeze.

"There's not too many lots for sewer hook-ups," Mrs. Secours-Rickerd said.

As a result, buyers look to build in the countryside – a more costly alternative.

"A septic and well add to the cost – $11,000 to $20,000 – and there's a bit more landscaping, so it's more expensive to build in the country."

These properties are most popular with Quebec arrivals – generally middle-aged empty nesters looking to get away from the city.

Existing older homes, which tend to be less expensive, are the choice of first-time buyers with young families.

But even what appears to be a lot of land is almost a mirage.

"There's not too many lots left," she said.

As a result, it will be tough for sales to match last year's boom and the run-up to it.

"It was the best year we've ever had since the late 80s."

Last year's multiple listing sales, recorded by the Cornwall and District Real Estate Board, showed an improvement over 2001 in all of Glengarry.

The board has five 'districts' – all comprising former municipalities before the 1998 amalgamation – within Glengarry.

Charlottenburgh easily led with 108 units, with an average value of $130,178. The average value for Glengarry was $113,239, slightly above the board average of $104,559.

Although Alexandria and Lochiel posted small sales gains of three and four respectively, their average value dropped somewhat.

Mrs. Secours-Rickerd said the seller's market should continue.

"There's going to be a fairly strong market for a few years until enough new houses are built."

Toronto firm wins contract

South Glengarry has voted to shell out $19,200 on an economic development strategic plan for the municipality.

The idea came from the township's economic development advisory committee, and requests for proposals were sent out to seven companies.

The contract was awarded to Advisory Services/GPA Strategic Management Consultants of Toronto, whose price was $10,000 below other bids.

The new strategic plan will identify and analyze the main strengths, opportunities, weaknesses and constraints for economic development in South Glengarry. It is expected the study will be carried out in several stages.

— Sue Harrington

SG sticking with SDG OP

By Sue Harrington
News Correspondent

South Glengarry Council threw its support behind the SDG United Counties Official Plan, despite a move by North Dundas to axe the project.

Not only did Mayor Dave MacDonald say he was in total support of continuing with the Counties' OP, he expressed his dismay at the rebellion from North Dundas.

"I'd like to go on record as saying I am quite disappointed that an employee from the lower level should try to stop the process," said Mr. MacDonald.

The mayor was referring to Calvin Pol, the planner for North Dundas, who had originally worked on the Counties document, and now is seeking the support of the five other townships in the United Counties, to stop work on the Counties OP and replace it with six township official plans, "tailored to their individual needs."

Mr. Pol said the the OP would "lengthen the approval process and remove local authority over land-use planning."

The Official Plan is being prepared by consultant Glenn Tunnock, and has been the subject of much discussion of late.

The matter is expected to be discussed by the representatives from each of the six lower tier municipalities at Monday's meeting of Counties Council.

Mayor MacDonald said that the Official Plan had to follow guidelines set out by the Ministry and that these were quite stringent.

"There's very little wiggle room," he said.

The cost already expended on the Counties document convinced other council members to agree with the mayor.

"After spending $150,000 so far, we should continue with it," said Councillor Janette Abbey.

Mayor MacDonald said that he believed several of the municipalities were backing the North Dundas proposal.

Budget

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The remainder will be used for one culvert.

Ice time rates at the Charlottenburgh Recreation Centre will be raised this year to $120 per hour, adding $10,000 to the township's revenue. The ice rates haven't seen an increase in eight years. Rising Hydro rates ($20,000 more this year) are blamed for the increase.

The fate of the Martintown Recreation Centre was also discussed at the budget meeting.

The popular building in the hamlet needs some $72,427 in capital costs – $60,000 of it for "mold remediation" which must be carried out within the next 12 months.

A study will be commissioned to see what the best course of action might be, with an application to the Trillium Foundation a possibility.

A proposed expenditure of $35,000 towards the pad and skateboard ramp at Smithfield Park didn't sit well with Councillor Jim McDonell, who felt it was imprudent to build at the site before the Superbuild project at the same location was finalized.

But public works director Ewen MacDonald said that the township had made a commitment to the community that the skateboard facility would be built this year. Local residents have raised $12,000 towards the cost.

Mr. MacDonald said the site plan for the Smithfield Superbuild project would be received before work on the pad and ramp would commence.

Although the $6.9 million budget deliberations meeting was an open one, there were no members of the public in attendance.

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go along."

That being said, he suggested *The News* attend council as a formal delegation at which time council would then review the process.

The mayor was somewhat receptive to providing periodical statements on the budget process, but he said it was up to council as a whole to decide on this matter.

Unlike North Glengarry, South Glengarry council members are not involved in the process of developing its budget, leaving it to township staff to prepare a draft document.

As a result there are no public meetings held until a draft budget has been produced.

"Until it comes to that (point), it's an internal mechanism, not set for the public," said South Glengarry Mayor Dave MacDonald.

South Glengarry's method is somewhat similar to that of the City of Cornwall, where council doesn't get involved in the process while staff crunches preliminary numbers.

In South Glengarry, treasurer Michel Samson puts the figures into "book form" and council then wades through it "line by line."

That session, held last week, is open to the public and is covered by the media.

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"We had 15 changes in our budget at the end of day," Mayor MacDonald said of last week's sessions.

Although council is not involved in the day-to-day development of the budget, he said it is well aware of the proceedings.

The budget process starts with council's strategic planning retreat where long-term and short-term goals are determined.

As well, during the course of the year, he said the public becomes aware of funding requests from a variety of sources, including non-profit organizations and council's advisory committees.

Voting

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municipal staff, implementing toll-free numbers for telephone voting and securing web access for Internet voting and all other incidental fees.

"He claims it increases turnout by 10 per cent," Mr. Poirier told council.

The process should also save the municipality money in areas such as temporary staff and ballot printing and mailing.

With Internet and telephone voting, there will be no need for proxys or advanced polls either. The voting process will be held over a period of six days.

The service was offered in many municipalities in Prescott-Russell during the last municipal election.

Mr. Church's presentation noted that each one of those municipalities has committed to or is in the process of approving Internet and telephone voting for 2003.

Eligible voters will receive a sealed envelope from the municipality just before the election begins.

This letter will contain a personal identification number (PIN), which allows the voter to access the system, either by telephone or Internet.

Mr. Poirier has been in contact with the municipality of The Nation, where there were no complaints of stolen PIN numbers during the last election.

Quarry

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obtain a licence without them, giving rise to Mayor Franklin's comments regarding the OMB.

The applicant has the right to appeal the municipality's decision before the OMB.

"We cannot do anything more at this stage," Mr. Joyce said.

"We will do more research to fortify our case. It's not just a 'not in my backyard' approach: we want facts."



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Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) Update

Although there are no cases or suspect cases of SARS in this area, Hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital continues to implement precautions to help the province contain the spread of SARS.

These precautions are necessary because identifying SARS patients has been and will continue to be a diagnostic challenge for health care professionals. The difficulty in making the diagnosis has been that many symptoms of SARS are similar to other common diseases.

As of April 15th the precautions have been amended as directed by the Provincial Operations Centre for SARS:

- Screening continues but not everyone needs their temperature taken
- Visitors are restricted to 2 per patient
- No visitors for suspect SARS patients.

Hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital would like to thank everyone for their patience during this period, especially those who have not been able to visit their loved ones in the hospital.

Personal protective equipment such as masks, goggles, gloves and gowns are currently difficult to purchase. This is because the Greater Toronto Area hospitals purchased all of the supplies in mid to late March before precautionary measures were mandated throughout the province. Thanks to the efforts of Alain Guillemette of Canadian Tire and several hospital staff, Hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital was able to secure hundreds of N95 masks.

When hand washing, it takes the time of the song 'Happy Birthday' to ensure your hands are thoroughly clean. Hospital staff sing Happy Birthday often and this is recommended to the public.

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LE 15 AVRIL 2003

HÔPITAL GLENGARRY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mise à jour sur le syndrome respiratoire aigu sévère (SRAS)

Bien qu'il n'y ait pas de cas confirmés ou soupçonnés du SRAS dans cette région, l'Hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital continue de prendre des mesures de précaution pour aider la province à freiner la propagation de la maladie.

Ces précautions sont nécessaires parce que le dépistage des patients atteints de SRAS est et va continuer d'être un défit à diagnostiquer pour les professionnels de la santé. Le fait que les symptômes de SRAS ressemblent à ceux de plusieurs autres maladies communes rend le diagnostic très difficile à prononcer.

À partir du 15 avril, des précautions particulières ont été établies selon les directives du Centre d'Opérations Provincial de SRAS:

- Le dépistage continue mais la prise de la température de chacun ne sera plus obligatoire.
- Admission de 2 visiteurs par patient
- Aucun visiteur pour les patients suspects du SRAS

L'hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital voudrait remercier tous et chacun pour leur patience durand cette période, surtout ceux et celles qui ont été dans l'impossibilité de visiter leurs proches à l'hôpital.

L'équipement de protection personnelle comme des masques, des lunettes de protection ainsi que les couvre-touts sont actuellement difficiles à se procurer. Cette situation résulte du fait que les hôpitaux de la région du grand Toronto ont acheté toutes les réserves au cours du mois de mars et cela avant que la province impose des mesures spéciales. Grâce aux efforts de Alain Guillemette de Canadian Tire et de certains employés de l'hôpital, l'hôpital Glengarry Memorial Hospital a été en mesure d'acquérir des centaines de masques N95.

Lorsque vous lavez vos mains, cela prend le temps de la durée de la chanson "Bonne Fête" pour vous assurer que vos mains soient propres. Les employés de l'hôpital chantent "Bonne Fête" très souvent et recommandent au public d'en faire autant.



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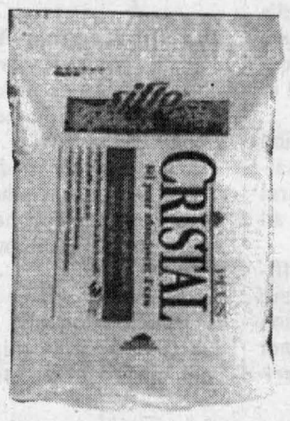

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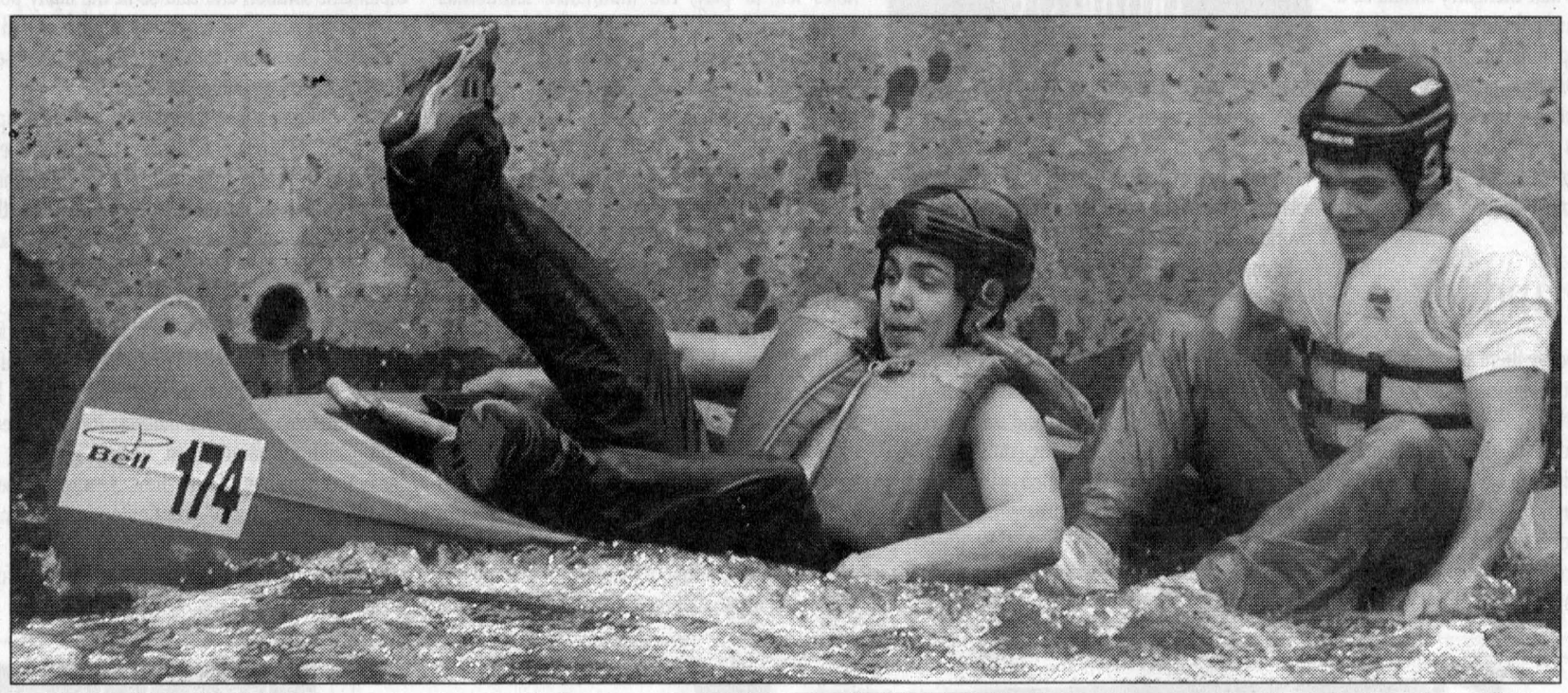
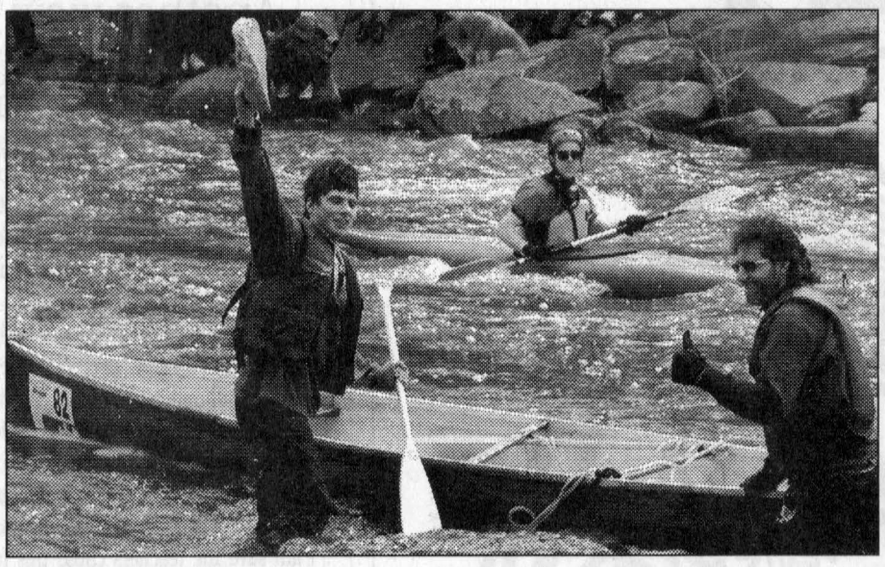


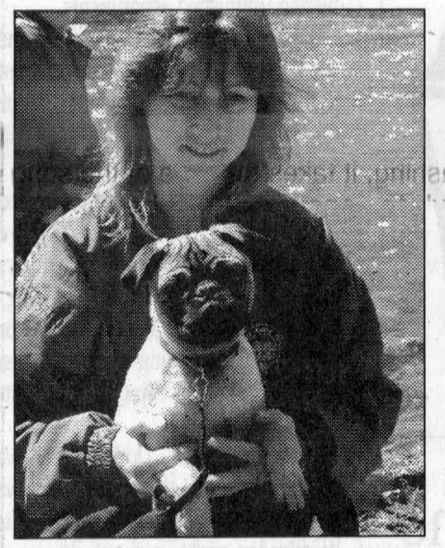
SPLISH, SPLASH: The Cornwall team of Jonathon and Justin McCourt failed at their attempt to chute the dam in Martintown during the 30th Raisin River White Water Canoe Race on Sunday. Hundreds of spectators enjoyed several scenes like this from vantage points along the river. TODD ANDERSON PHOTOS



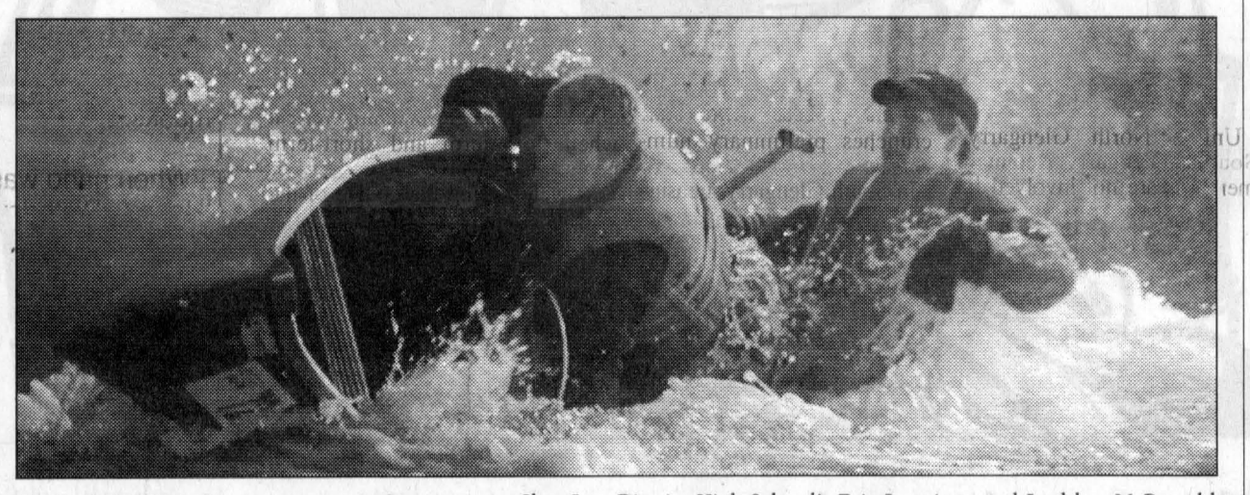
A WAVE TO THE CROWD: Yvon and Steven Quesnel of St. Andrew's acknowledge the response from the crowd after tipping their canoe.



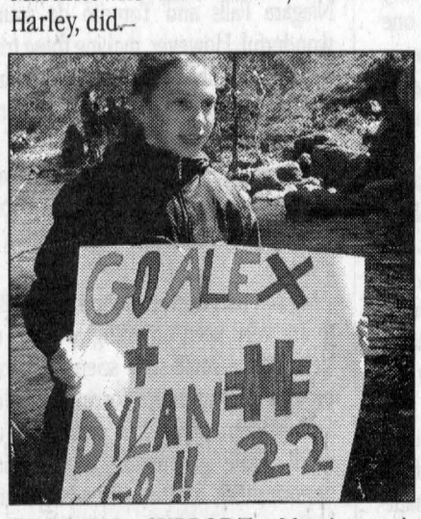
BALANCING ACT: The Ottawa team of David Brenner and Eric Branwell try to stay afloat in Martintown at the dam.



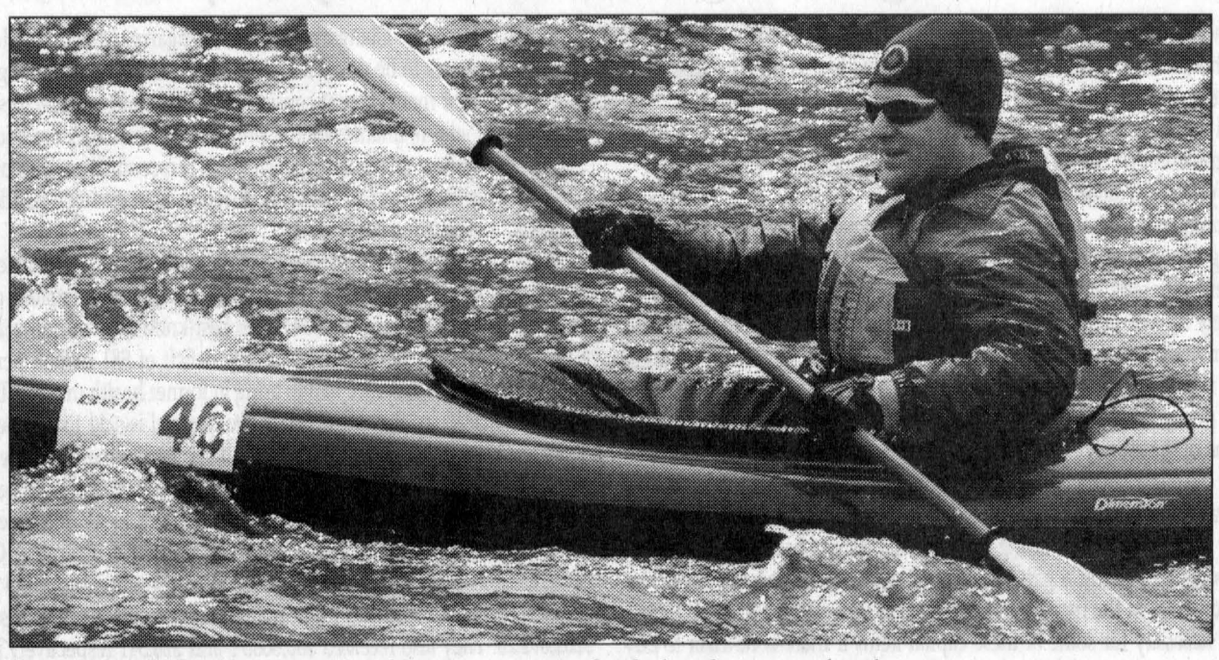
A DOG'S DAY: Several spectators brought their pets along to the race as Martintown's Kim Martin, seen with Harley, did.



WET WINNERS: Despite tipping in Martintown, Char-Lan District High School's Eric Lapointe and Lachlan McDonald were the quickest high school men's team to finish the race.



SHOWING SUPPORT: Martintown's Elissa deWit stood on the banks to cheer a team including her brother Alex.



ONE MAN SHOW: Williamstown's Todd Giroux was one of eight kayakers entered in the race.

Iona student off to science nationals

By Kristina Wilson
News Reporter

A budding scientist from Iona Academy and a couple of Char-Lan District High School veterans have earned the right to attend the Canada Wide Science Fair in May.

The United Counties Science Fair was held on April 4 and 5 in Cornwall.

Grade 8 student Kathleen Byatte's project on sleep deprivation garnered a number of awards, including the prestigious Ontario Power Generation Inc. Gold award for a mark of 90 per cent or higher. The award includes a trophy, certificate and $200 prize.

Kathleen also earned an all-expenses paid week-long trip to the nationals, which are being held this year in Calgary. The trip is sponsored by the five area school boards.

Kathleen's project – titled "Sleep: Who Needs It?" – was also awarded the Dr. Charles Bender Memorial Plaque for Best in Human Biology and the Rotary Club of Cornwall Trophy for Best Junior Project.

"My main goal was to study the effects of sleep deprivation on teens my age, 13 or 14," Kathleen said.

"I wanted to do this experiment on my sister during the summer, but my mom wouldn't let me."

Kathleen's project had to wait until school science fair time when more willing volunteers – who all had parental permission – could be found.

She gathered her nine volunteers for an overnight stay at the school.

On the first day, she subjected her volunteers to 15 challenges, which tested physical ability, mental acuity and memory.

The subjects then stayed awake all night and repeated the tests again the next morning.

"After analyzing the results, I concluded that physical ability was most affected and mental acuity was least affected (by lack of sleep)," she reported.

The future Char-Lan District High School student created the 15 tests herself. They included an obstacle course to test physical skills, counting backwards from 100 by sevens to challenge mental sharpness and repeating a random sequence of numbers to test memory.

She was very surprised by her results at the United Counties Science Fair, though she felt good about her presentation before the judges.

"I felt confident that I had done well, but I didn't expect to have done that well," she said.

In preparation for the Canada Wide Science Fair from May 11 to 18, Kathleen will continue to rehearse her presentation. She also needs to rewrite her project summary.

"There are different guidelines at that level," she said.

The St. Raphael's native will be bringing her mother, Cathy, along to Calgary – a city she has never visited before.

Kathleen is looking at a career in science, perhaps genetics or biochemistry.

Char-Lan winners

A pair of Char-Lan OAC students are no strangers to the Canada-Wide Science Fair. Sean Batty and Kristofer Hones will be making their second trip as a team to the nationals.

See page 5 for their story.

Building boom in NG

By Greg Peerenboom
News Editor

The value of new construction in North Glengarry jumped 24 per cent in 2002.

Township chief building official Gerry Murphy said 222 building permits were issued last year for a total of $9.58 million. In 2001, $7.69 million of construction was undertaken.

The majority of the work came from 48 new single-family dwellings and duplexes, valued at $5.068 million. There were 34 new units in 2001.

Farm construction such as barns and silos also increased to $1.077 million from $733,000.

The value of commercial and industrial construction was $611,000. No figures were available for 2001.

The building spree almost mirrors the rapid pace of development experienced by South Glengarry, as reported earlier.

There were 75 new homes built in South Glengarry last year, up from 56 in 2001, 45 in 2000, and 35 in 1999.

The value of the buildings exceeded the $12 million mark. In 1999, residential construction value was just shy of $4 million.

Total value of all new construction, including renovations, was $19.6 million.

South Glengarry has also seen commercial/industrial growth. The value of new buildings in this sector rose to $2.4 million last year. And a major barn project has pushed the value of new agricultural buildings to $2.9 million – a leap from $494,000 in 2001.

There were 273 building permits issued in 2002, compared to 257 (2001), 246 (2000) and 240 (1999).

Way of the Cross well-attended

Despite the threat of freezing rain, St. Anthony's Church in Apple Hill was almost full for an evening of Lenten reflection on April 4.

"We're very pleased (with the turnout)," said Marilyn Bergeron, one of the event's organizers.

The evening featured a Holy Hour, Mass and a talk by Bishop Paul-André Durocher, followed by a theatrical presentation of the Way of the Cross.

The event was a fund-raiser for Journey to the Father, a gathering of Catholic teens set for July 18 to 20 in St. Raphael's. Total donations came to $800.

"It was a beautiful production," Ms. Bergeron said.

"It was a lovely evening. Very thought-provoking for Easter."

Senators, Avalanche are best bets to win hockey's holy grail



Arthur Roberge



Yvon Menard



Melanie Compeau

Straight Talk

Which team do you think will win the Stanley Cup this year? Which team are hoping for?

– Thomas Trepanier



Dan O'Flaherty



Stephanie Quesnel



John Chafee

Arthur Roberge, Green Valley: I think that the Boston Bruins will win the Stanley Cup this year. I also hope that they win because I have a friend that used to play for them. They have always been my favourite team and they haven't won the final in a long time, so I think it's their turn this year.

Yvon Menard, Green Valley: Colorado will probably win because they finished the season very well this year. I think that Patrick Roy can still carry the team to one more cup before he retires. I think that the final will probably be against Ottawa. I hope Ottawa wins but that is only because the Canadiens are out of the playoffs.

Melanie Compeau, Green Valley: I think that the Ottawa Senators have a good chance of winning the Stanley Cup this year because they have had a great season, unlike some of the other Canadian teams. I plan on watching the playoffs on television and cheering on my team. I am rooting for the Senators because they are the best Canadian team and we live close to Ottawa.

Dan O'Flaherty, Maxville: I think that either Ottawa or Detroit will win this year. Athough Ottawa has had a great season I think that Detroit has a better chance because they have more experience, good leadership and they have been there before. For some of these guys it might be their last chance at the cup, so they will give it everything they have. This being said I would still like to see Ottawa win.

Stephanie Quesnel, Dunvegan: I think that the Colorado Avalanche are going to win the Stanley Cup this year because they have great leadership, especially with Joe Sakic. I think that he can carry the team all the way to victory. I think that he is an amazing player with lots of talent surrounding him.

John Chafee, Williamstown: I think Ottawa will beat Colorado in the final. Ottawa's defence has improved tremendously with Chara and Phillips playing well. Ottawa also has good size in their forwards with Varada and Ray being added at the deadline. I think that the Senators are ready to emerge as a real contender in this year's playoffs.

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Redefining local political boundaries compounds earlier error

EDITORIALS

Enough already. The initial decision announced last fall by the boundaries commission to unite Glengarry but keep it separated from SDG for federal and provincial election purposes was a half-step forward.

Now, the commission has compounded an earlier error by returning to its previous illogical position of having Glengarry split up come election time, which is tantamount to a full step backwards.

What makes it even more puzzling is that this new decision flies in the face of the commission's stated goal, which is "to respect the historical pattern of an electoral district (and) to preserve the unity of individuals with a common interest."

How splitting Glengarry in two reflects any of the above is beyond comprehension, nor is it any more understandable than past decisions which severed Charlottenburgh from Glengarry and put it with Stormont and Dundas, while making North Glengarry little more than the hind teat of Prescott-Russell.

As much as we think that Glengarry should be a separate entity for municipal purposes, it makes a lot of sense, given the population requirements, to have it joined with Stormont and Dundas for federal and provincial election purposes.

That the boundaries commission continues to play politics with this area speaks volumes about how dysfunctional our election process has become.

Pride and joy

Next to soccer and hockey there are few things in the world of sports that Glengarry takes more seriously than golf and curling.

Both are well-connected to the area's heritage and enjoy strong participation locally. As well, curling helps us get through the long winters while golf signals the arrival of better weather.

This past weekend provided some of those more promising spring days but even those with the severest cases of cabin fever, due to this past winter, found themselves inside alternately cheering on Canada's curling teams at the Worlds and squirming with every putt as this country's premier player, Mike Weir, battled the giants of the golfing world at Augusta, Georgia.

In curling the Randy Ferbey rink prevailed while the Colleen Jones foursome was upset by a young American team. That loss notwithstanding, it's been a banner year for Canada winning both male and female seniors and juniors world titles in addition to Sunday's win by Ferbey and company.

Still, for high suspense, nothing could match the gut-wrenching tension associated with Sunday's final round of the Masters tournament.

Not since our storied victory against Russia in 1972 has Canadian sports witnessed such a remarkable comeback. Down by three strokes with five holes left to play, the diminutive left-hander proved it's the size of your heart that matters most.

His stirring victory marked the first time that a Canadian has won one of the four golf majors (the Masters, U.S. Open, British Open and PGA Championship) and just the second time such a feat has been accomplished by a lefty.

Out of step

At this writing, the war in Iraq is as good as over. For Canada, however, the real battle has just begun as the Prime Minister continues to make our already untenable position vis-à-vis the U.S. even worse. While the majority of Canadians are now on-side with the deposing of Saddam and his villainous regime, the PM and many in his cabinet and caucus continue to march out of step, even though the government's initial position was based on a misunderstanding of the public's position. No one would argue that most Canadians preferred a diplomatic solution and said so in the many polls taken at the time. But what was misunderstood is that most Canadians were not prepared to desert the U.S. if it chose military action.

Now, at a time when Canada should be attempting to cut its diplomatic losses, the government continues to careen from one mistake to another. The PM's foolish directive to our military in the field that they not turn over captured Iraqi military personnel to the U.S. is a case in point.

While there is considerable doubt now as to whether the government is capable of speaking for Canadians on this issue, there should be no confusion as to whose views are being represented by the comments of the U.S. ambassador. Last week Paul Cellucci characterized Canada's policy as "incomprehensible." That's how Americans view the Liberal government's continuing intransigence and, as evidenced by George Bush's decision to cancel his May visit to Canada, it won't soon be forgotten.

Thorns & Thistles



THISTLE– Opposition dropped to school closing.

From the beginning, the proposal to close The Alexander School and transfer students to nearby St. Joseph's School had all the makings of one of those messy disputes where no one wins regardless of the final outcome. Fortunately, that appears not to be the case now. Even the chairperson of The Alexander school council, which had championed that school's cause, is relieved that it is all over.

In fact, it was the school council which asked the Catholic school board to move forward with its plans – a proposal that caught the board by surprise but was nonetheless welcomed.

"We have come to terms that financially, St. Joseph's is the more viable school," Katherine Locke told the board.

But this unexpectedly sudden resolution of the issue does not mean that the school board does not have much work left to do. As Ms. Locke said, the parents may be resigned to closing The Alexander but it doesn't mean that they won't be anxiously watching each step of the process.

"Now we need to concentrate on the students. ...Please vote on the closure tonight and let us move on."

Those are welcome words for all concerned.



THORN – SG gives up on talks with school board.

Unlike The Alexander School issue where the English Catholic board bent over backwards to ensure that groups had a chance to voice their concerns, the opposite seems to be the case involving the French Catholic board and South Glengarry township.

Although the township doesn't have the same standing as a parents group when it comes to education, they had some valid points to make but it was clear that the board had little real interest in hearing them.

The fact that local trustee Georgette Sauvé would make the argument that a new township recreation centre should be built in North Lancaster underscores a lack of understanding of the issue as well as the board's unwillingness to listen to local proposals. After all, it's not just the township that is unhappy with the proposed location of the new school. Parents are equally concerned, although they haven't come out in favour of changing the location to Lancaster as proposed by the township.

Sadly, hard feelings are likely to linger on long after the school is built, regardless of the eventual location.



THISTLE – Trail-blazing women on medal list.

Enid MacDonald had to wait some time to get her just desserts, unlike others who received their Jubilee Medals last fall. Still, it's better late than never even if her son, Gordon, had to make the nomination to ensure that his mother did not go unrecognized.

Even the briefest review of her life reveals a list of accomplishments that most people would welcome by half. Among other things, Mrs. MacDonald was a key volunteer in the development of Glengarry Memorial Hospital acting as chairperson of its first expansion committee. She was instrumental in creating the Canadian Red Cross branch in Glengarry, working out of her home on the farm where she helped husband, Archie, with a unique operation which produced pregnant mare urine, used in the manufacture of penicillin. As well, there is her life-long participation in church matters including her work for the Catholic Women's League for which she received a distinguished service medal.

But the pièce de résistance occurred when she became the first woman council member in 115 years at the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

Like others with a similar record of accomplishment, Mrs. MacDonald is far too modest about her successes.

"You did what you could," she explained in an interview. "I guess it was part of my upbringing. You try to help other people, you don't leave people in distress."

Those are words we can all live by.

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The more things change, the more they stay the same

OBSERVATIONS



JT GROSSMITH

Although there is no mistaking the last few weeks of March for Christmas, it is the annual season of giving and getting in hospitals across Ontario. The reason is that March 31 is the universal year-end for most healthcare institutions and those departments that haven't spent their capital allocation for the fiscal year must either use it or lose it.

Ontario taxpayers would be amazed at the rush that ensues during the waning days of March to make sure that our money is spent. Literally millions of dollars that lay languishing in budgets for the previous 11 months must now be converted into any number of capital items including new computers, the latest in flat-screen monitor technology and a wide variety of other pricey items that hospitals either need or simply just want.

Some of the money is used as part of a regular replacement program that many hospitals have in place. Essentially, that means that capital items are replaced on a schedule regardless of whether they are still useful or not. Other items purchased during this March Madness have been identified as desirable or filling a gap but for whatever reason had not been purchased earlier in the fiscal year. Still, it makes you wonder whether there's a real necessity for some of these capital items if there is no rush to buy them until year-end.

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The other thing about hospitals that continues to amaze is the amount of money that is still being poured into management positions. After all, most hospitals went through a considerable process of downsizing during the mid-to-late 90s and now, supposedly, are stretched to their very limits as evidenced by the long waiting lists for surgery and other basic services. Call me a skeptic but I don't believe the problem is totally one of lack of funding as is often made out to be the case, but has as much to do with utilization of resources.

A couple of cases in point come to mind.

First, prior to downsizing most hospitals had been allowed to expand and grow beyond the point of what was required. For example, in Northumberland County, where I lived at the time, both the Cobourg and Port Hope hospitals – 10 km apart – were operating at about 40 per cent of their bed capacity. Nonetheless, neither hospital thought that it should be closed.

Secondly, most hospitals in the 90s were overloaded with senior management. In addition to having a Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or Chief Operating Officer (COO), it was not unusual for even small hospitals to have several vice presidents, who in turn each had several directors reporting to them. Those directors of course, had several managers who reported to them as well. As a result, much of each working day for the VPs and the directors was routinely spent holding meetings, which inevitably led to more meetings. Not surprisingly, when the axe finally fell, a goodly number of VPs and directors were suddenly no longer essential to the operation of their hospital. Of course many of them received six-figure buyouts, to cushion the fall.

Here in Glengarry where Glengarry Memorial Hospital appears to be doing a reasonably good job at containing costs, senior management consists of a CEO and two directors – one of whom, finance diretor, prepares and manages the budget in addition to regular management responsibilities. The other is nursing director, which is purely a management position for obvious reasons.

Contrast the operation of GMH with that of Ottawa Hospital, albeit a considerably larger facility with much broader obligations. Nonetheless, OH was best-known in recent years for being so inefficient, running a deficit of $81 million per year, that the province had to bring in former health minister Dennis Timbrell to clean up the mess. Today the hospital is said to be operating on a more responsible basis but it's difficult to buy into that rationale when you look at the layer on layer of management that remains in place.

It is overwhelming to say the least. In addition to a Chief Executive Officer (CEO), the hospital has a Senior VP and Chief Operating Officer (COO). That alone raises red flags, particularly since the CEO made $315,954.89 in 2002 and the COO pulled in the equally princely sum of $262,692.23. They also received $30,868.71 and $28,541 respectively in taxable benefits. Sure every operation needs someone in charge, but do you need both at a cost of close to $700,000 per year when you include the taxable benefits, particularly since the medical staff, as in other hospitals, doesn't report directly to either but rather to the hospital's board of directors?

As well, there are nine VPs, 43 directors, and 133 managers. Overall, 55 members of the management team took home more than $100,000 in salary alone during 2002.

But it's not simply the total numbers that make it so worrisome. Of equal concern is the many instances of duplicate management at Ottawa Hospital. For example, in communications there is a Director of Internal Communication and a Manager of Public Affairs, both of whom report to the VP of Communications. No doubt communication is essential but you have to wonder about the necessity of having a VP for such a small management team which already includes a director.

Communications, however, pales by comparison to finance where the VP of Finance comes with an entourage that rivals that of a rock star. Included in this group is a director of budget and reporting, who in turn has a manager of budget and reporting. There is a director of decision support and a manager of decision support. There is a director of purchasing services and, yes, a manager of purchasing services, and the list goes on with some seven directors and 17 managers in total, many of whom have virtually duplicate titles if one ignore the fact that they are either a director or a manager.

Whether Ottawa Hospital is well-managed is not clear, but certainly it is not under-managed. One suspects that OH is not alone in that regard, and that may be draining our healthcare system of many valuable dollars and resources that are much needed to provide services and treatment.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

Another view

I share Angela Dorie's dread about school-held science fairs. However, I disagree with her views on the recent science fair at Williamstown Public School.

Mrs. Dorie feels that by having the children choose one of six projects there would be no opportunity for individuality or experimentation. I disagree.

Several engineers submitting a design for the same bridge project, several architects submitting a design for the same skyscraper, several artists' interpretation of the same still life would, no doubt, allow for opportunities for individuality and certainly experimentation.

I am sure the teachers chose this format with a great deal of discussion and planning, and not just as a way of completing unfinished assignments.

While attending the aforementioned fair Wednesday evening, I viewed many periscopes, can crushers, chairs, electrical circuits. The displays of optical illusions left most viewers bleary-eyed.

The creators of many of these projects were standing close by and appeared only too happy to give a demonstration.

Sure there were students showing a little less enthusiasm but I can only wonder if perhaps creating a science project would not be their cup of tea no matter what format.

Incidentally, Mrs. Dorie's letter was published before the science fair was held. If she had waited until after Wednesday night, perhaps she would have had a different viewpoint.

Finally, trips to exotic places like Niagara Falls and Toronto do sound wonderful. However, making these trips possible usually requires a fair amount of fund-raising on behalf of the students and parents.

I do know from experience that any fund-raising by Williamstown Public tries to benefit the student population as a whole.

My son tells me the classmates he talks to are very keen on going to Ecole de Vert. Like a small-scale science fair can provide opportunities for individuality and experimentation, so perhaps can a small- scale graduation trip provide opportunities for fun, friendship, and lasting memories.

Elizabeth Desjardins / Williamstown

Thanks to all

The Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Cornwall and District will be holding an Information Night on Monday April 28 at 7pm at the agency's office in Cornwall.

Information will be provided on the regular one-to-one matching program, the Big Bunch Friendship program, the Couples for Kids program, and the In-School Mentoring program.

Everyone interested in finding out more about volunteering for one of the Big Brothers/Big Sisters programs is invited to attend.

At the present time, The Big Brothers and Big Sisters has 59 children in Cornwall and SD&G on the waiting list, 46 boys and 13 girls.

Being a Big Brother or Big Sister is a rewarding experience that promises fun, enjoyment and companionship.

For more information, telephone 933-8035 or visit the agency web site at www.cnwl.igs.net/~bbbscornwall.

Brian Lynch / Executive Director

Students going back to nationals

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This will be the third trip for Mr. Hones.

The pair earned a trip to Saskatoon last year for their project "Entropy in a Box," which got them a Bronze award at the national level.

They hope to better that performance this year with their new project, "A Touch of Ingenuity."

In this year's project, they designed and built a robotic hand that is controlled by computer. It won an Ontario Power Generation Inc. Gold award for a mark of 90 per cent or higher, which includes a trophy, certificate and $200 for the team to share.

Both Mr. Hones and Mr. Batty are travelling to the Canada-Wide Science Fair courtesy of the five area school boards. The pair will also each receive a one-year subscription to Scientific American.

They said their project this year was inspired in part by a project they saw in Saskatoon.

"There was a popular project last year," Mr. Hones said.

"It was a robot that walked. But it didn't work very well. So we decided to apply those ideas and make them better."

Their robotic hand replicates the movements of the human hand. They made a mold of a real hand and incorporated a system of pulleys which acts like the muscles and tendons of the human hand.

"We made up routines so the and can do specific gestures," Mr. Hones explained.

The pair tried to replicate on a "home-made" scale what is currently being done in research labs around the world: the development of intelligent, motorized prosthetic devices.

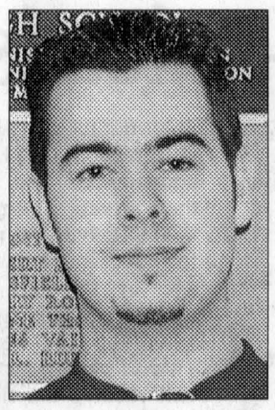
"It would be more than aesthetic," Mr. Hones said, noting a more sophisticated model could potentially be used by an amputee.



MULTIPLE WINNER: Iona Academy Grade 8 student Kathleen Byatte is off to the Canada Wide Science Fair in Calgary in May after her project on sleep deprivation earned a number of awards at the United Counties Science Fair in Cornwall. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

The pair feel their experience at last year's nationals will serve them well in Calgary.

"We know what the judges are looking for," Mr. Hones said.



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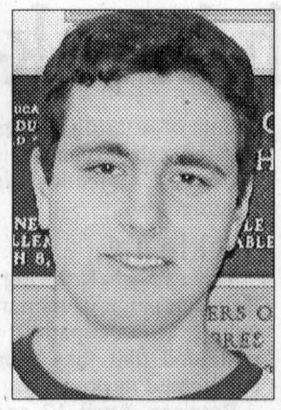


Sean Batty

"They are looking for sound theory and application of that theory."

Both think their project meets those criteria.

The Canada-Wide Science Fair is not all work and no play. In addition to three days of judging, the winners from across the country are taking sight-seeing and have the chance to socialize.

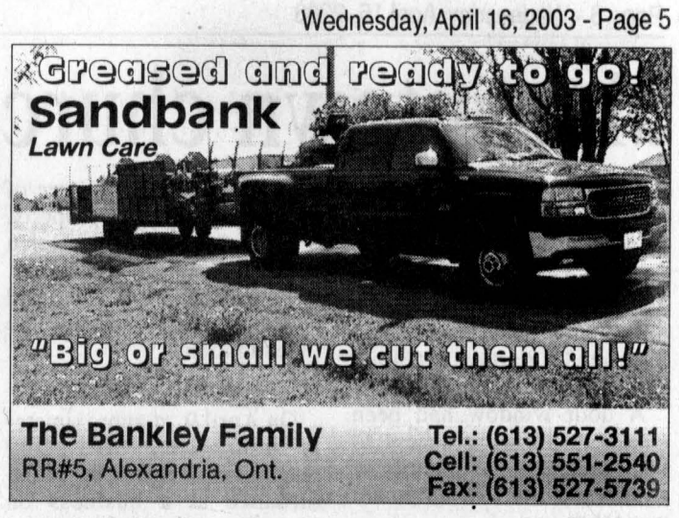
"It's a good experience," Mr. Hones said.

"It's more than worth it just for the experience."

Part of this year's double cohort, Mr. Hones hopes to attend Queen's University in Kingston in the fall, in computing and economics. Mr. Batty hopes to study media arts or radio and TV arts, either at Toronto's Ryerson Polytechnic or Concordia in Montreal.

A third Glengarry project earned high honours at the United Counties Science Fair.

Laggan Public School student Elizabeth MacPhee's project, "Fizz-able reactions," won the Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario plaque which is awarded to a junior girl for excellence in an experimental project. She also received a Silver award (85 to 89.99 per cent), which consists of a certificate and cash prize of $75.



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GDHS bands bring home gold and silver from festival

By Kristina Wilson
News Reporter

Three bands from Glengarry District High School earned gold and silver ratings at a recent music festival.

The 49th Kinsmen Music Festival was held in Cornwall from March 26 to April 4 at St. Lawrence College. The festival grades performers against a "perfect" performance and not against each other.

The Grade 9 band earned a gold rating while both the Grade 10 class and the intermediate band ranked silver.

Individual students performed in instrumental and vocal categories as well.

Earning gold was Marc Wilson-Miller for his performance on guitar.

Silver rankings were awarded to Samantha Fortier, alto sax; Victoria Couchman, tenor sax; Stephanie Carriere, trumpet; the duet of Cheryl McGregor and Richard Larocque; Cheryl McGregor, bassoon; Maria Richard, bass guitar; Kaitlin Kemp, vocal.

A bronze rating was given to Victoria Couchman, oboe; Jessie Massia, bass clarinet; John Magoon, trumpet; Stephanie Carriere, bassoon; Patric Campeau, oboe; Katie Belair, flute; Tara Kaiser, alto sax.

Not graded were Kacie Lancaster, trumpet; the duet of Stephanie Carriere and Victoria Couchman; Maria Richard, guitar.

GDHS students performed on March 26 and 27.

Not too late to support Easter Seals

By Kristina Wilson
News Reporter

Just because Easter is coming up this weekend does not mean the work is over for the Easter Seal Society.

Thousands of colourful eggs have been "hatching" across Ontario this month as the third annual Easter Seal Paper Egg Campaign is under way in participating stores and outlets in Stormont and Glengarry and throughout the province.

Until April 20, shoppers can pick up a "Paper Egg" for $2 in support of children, youth and young adults with physical disabilities.

"Our big event (right now) is the Paper Egg campaign," said Stormont-Glengarry district manager Marlene Harris.

But Easter Seals also runs fund-raising campaigns year-round, said Ms. Harris.

Shoppers can purchase a paper egg at participating stores and other outlets, sign it and then see it displayed in the store window, creating a landscape of color and representing community spirit.

Area participants are helping the almost 90 Easter Seal children of Stormont and Glengarry, and their families, who rely on Easter Seals for support.

Other events on which the Easter Seals relies throughout the year include Penny Power, an ongoing penny drive in some local schools and Send a Kid to Camp.

Through a direct mail campaign to service clubs and industries, Easter Seals solicits funds to send children and youth with disabilities to one of three specialized camps it operates in Ontario.

The camp most children from Stormont and Glengarry attend is Camp Merrywood, near Perth.

Sending an Easter Seals kid to summer camp costs approximately $2,000 for the two-week stay.

Last year, eight children from Stormont and Glengarry were able to attend.

If a child does not want to attend camp but has another activity in mind, the alternate route is for parents to apply for $500 to put towards that activity, be it horseback riding lessons, computer camp or even renting a cottage for a family getaway.

Ms. Harris said she hopes sports-oriented organizations will get involved in this sponsorship program, given the connection between sports and summer camp.

Another major fund-raiser will take place on Sept. 27 in Cornwall, called Power Play.

Power Play is a 4-on-4 ball hockey tournament where players play for pledges. Each team consists of six players (an alternate and the goalie) and the registration fee is $600 per team.

Ms. Harris said this activity should appeal to businesses, industries and schools, as well as anyone who wants to come out and have fun for a good cause.

The location of the ball hockey tournament has not yet been determined.

"We also invite organizations, businesses and other groups to do third-party fund-raising," Ms. Harris said.

Through third-party fund-raising, a service club could hold a picnic and turn over proceeds to the Easter Seal Society, she cited as an example.

"We're hoping for several of those (third-party fund-raisers)."

It may cost more than $40,000 annually to raise a child with a physical disability, over and above the costs incurred to raise a child without a disability. This can make it challenging for families to ensure their children get the best start on the road to independence.

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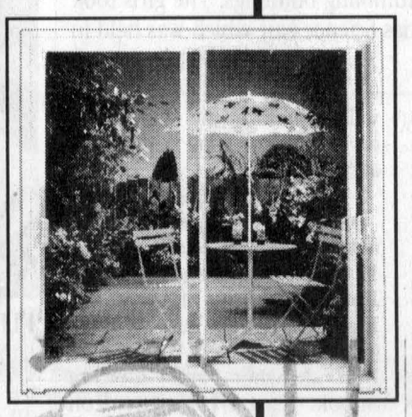

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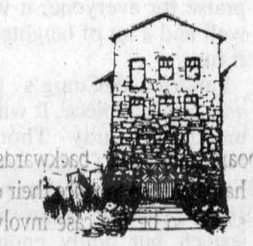

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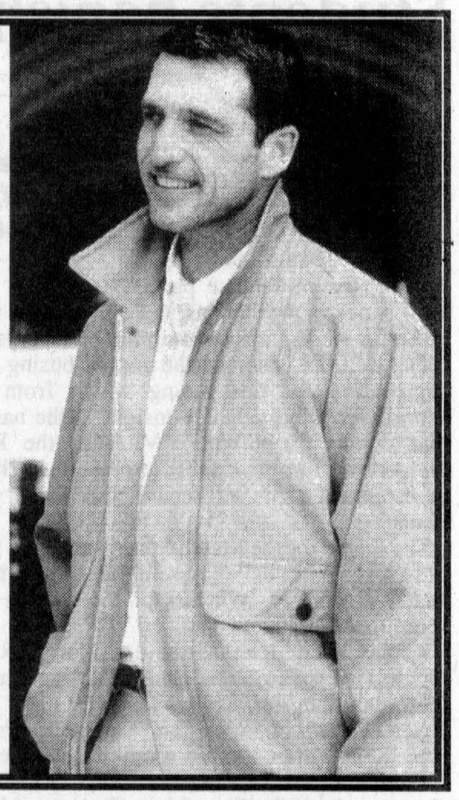

Conciliation date not set yet over high school

No date has been set yet for the conciliation process over the usage of Glengarry District-Le Relais high schools.

The Upper Canada District School Board (UCDSB) and the Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien (CSDCEO) have requested a conciliation hearing from provincially appointed arbitrator Brian Keller. Mr. Keller has yet to set the date.

The two school boards are in disagreement over the terms of a "shared use agreement" which dates back to 1998. The UCDSB owns the building occupied by GDHS and shared with Le Relais.

However, the CSDCEO intends to build its own building for Le Relais, which it hopes will be completed for September 2004, a full three years before the agreement expires.

The UCDSB claims foul because it had spent $3.5 million on renovations and hoped to recoup part of that through the shared-use agreement.

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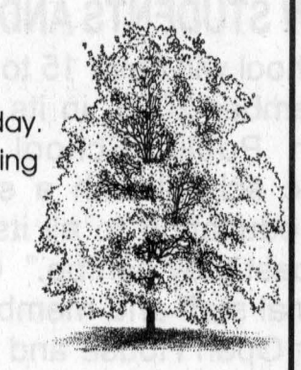



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Martintown church break-in leads to charges

Police Briefs

Around 9 a.m. on April 9, SDG OPP responded to a report of a break, enter and theft at St. Andrew's United Church in Martintown.

A door window had been smashed, allowing access to the inside. A large quantity of audio and stereo equipment was taken.

As a result of an investigation, two males were arrested and face criminal charges in the incident.

Larry Legge, 19, of Martintown faces a charge of break, enter and theft and 16-year-old male, also from Martintown faces a charge of possession of stolen property.

The majority of the stolen property has been recovered.

Constables R. MacDonald and G. Holiday continue the investigation.

Disturbance charges

On April 9, at approximately 9:30 p.m., SDG OPP responded a report of a disturbance at a business on Main Street in Alexandria.

An 18-year-old female had assaulted and threatened a couple (one male, one female) while inside the business.

She was arrested and faces two counts of assault, two counts of uttering threats and causing a disturbance.

Const. C. Labelle is investigating.

Buckle up!

The two-week Spring Seat Belt Campaign is upon us and vehicle occupants are reminded that they must all be buckled in properly.

Between April 12 and 26, police agencies across Ontario, including SDG OPP, are targeting vehicle occupants who fail to buckle up, or do so improperly.

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The driver is responsible for all occupants under the age of 16 and they will receive a ticket regardless of whom the child belongs to.

Any passengers over 16 will receive the ticket themselves.

The OPP will also be looking to see if your child is properly secured in their infant, child or booster seat. If the seat is not installed properly or the child is in the wrong seat, then the driver can be charged.

Beware of solicitors

The Ontario Provincial Police are receiving numerous calls from the public and businesses inquiring about solicitations from the Our Provincial Police Safety Magazine.

This magazine claims to be dedicated to the safety of all our children and offers a child safety program.

Please be advised that this magazine is not affiliated to, or supported in any way by the Ontario Provincial Police.

Other publications, which the Ontario Provincial Police have been reported to being affiliated to in the past, and are not, are Ontario Police Magazine, Ontario Provincial Police News, Our Provincial Police Today and OPP News.

The OPP would like to caution the public about any business soliciting money on behalf of the OPP.

If you receive a suspicious solicitation call, please call Phonebusters at 1-888-495-8501 or the OPP at 1-888-310-1122.

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General calls	45
Criminal investigations	11
Traffic charges	124
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Glengarry Toastmasters
By Lorna Chapman

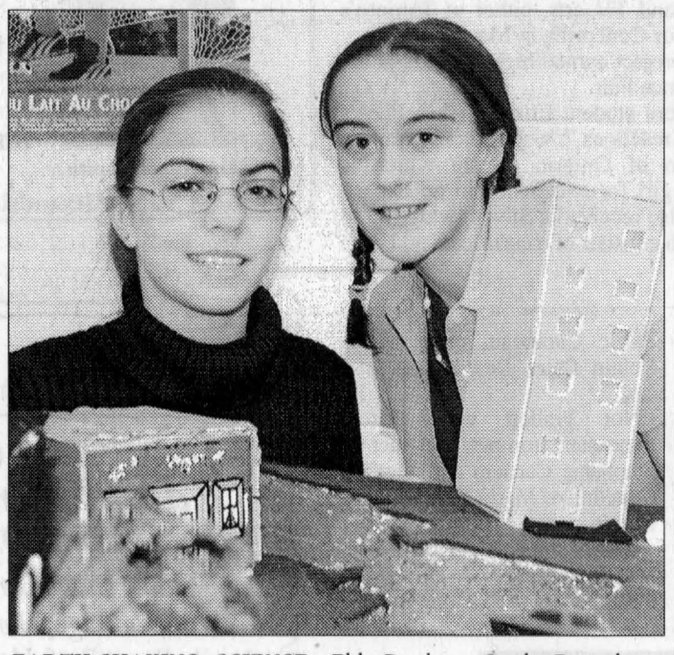
The Priest's Mill was the site for the Glengarry Toastmaster's Club meeting on Wednesday evening April 2.

President Helena McCuaig welcomed everyone and invited Anna Margaret MacDonald to tell the "Joke of the Day" which she always does so well. Noella Picard Claude introduced her two guests, Danielle Duranceau and Suzanne Lavoie.

Something different was featured at this meeting. As the members arrived, they were asked to choose their part of the meeting, by number, from a basket. Everyone had to fill that position for this meeting. Usually, jobs are assigned or chosen ahead of time so that each person comes prepared. This time it was " think on your feet" time. Congratulations to everyone on a really good program that night.

Amazingly, even those people who had picked a brand new job (for them) carried it off with ease. I had three jobs; Ah Counter, Grammarian and General Meeting Evaluator.

"Ahs or fillers" are fined five cents up to 50 cents. We made some money that night! The Grammarian watches for the use of the "word of the day" which was the word eclectic and correct grammar; there were no mispronunciations!



EARTH-SHAKING SCIENCE: Elda-Rouleau Grade 7 students Patricia Bourck, left, and Krystal Delage shook things up with their project on earthquakes. Their model mimics the shifting of tectonic plates, complete with tumbling buildings. The girls took their work to the United Counties Science Fair which was held in Cornwall April 4 to 6. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

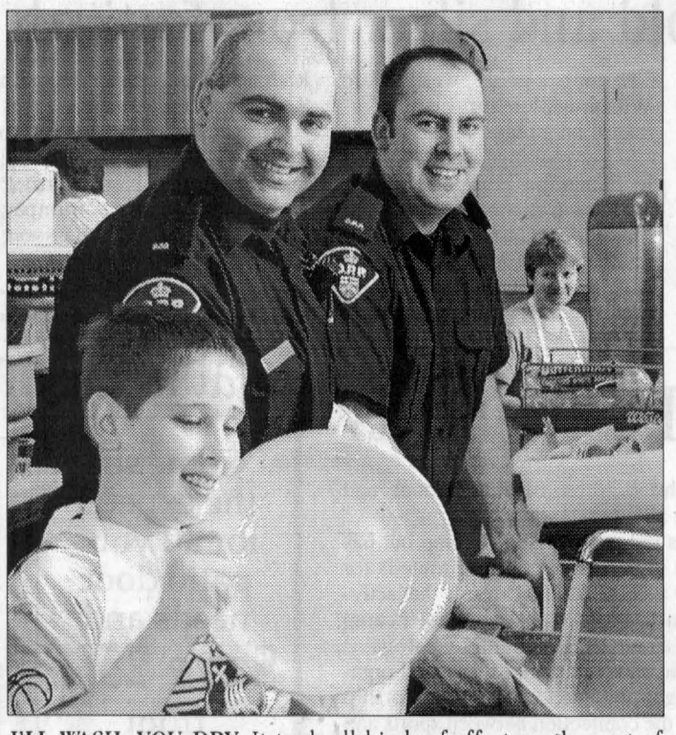
The last position I filled was as evaluator of the whole meeting. There was nothing but praise for everyone, it went so well and a lot of laughter made it fun.

Sandra McCuaig's speech was a masterpiece. It was evaluated by Judy Thompson, Noella Picard Claude and Abel Ferriera. They each enjoyed some special point in her speech but oddly enough all three were different.

The members were saddened to say goodbye to Judy Thompson as she is moving to Montreal. The next meeting will be held at the same place on April 16 starting with dinner at 5:30 p.m.

Alexandria Bridge Club

Alexandria Bridge club winners of April 8: North-South – 1. Elizabeth Marjerrison and Jim Campbell; 2. Mel Watt and Jean Larocque; 3. Viviane Campbell and Les Atkinson; 4. Bert Mosher and Gordon Snook. East-West – 1. Ron Allison and Gerri Tibbals; 2. Don Burnett and Kay McCormick; 3. Krystyna Zacios and Robert Zacios; 4. Jean Campbell and Sheila Pickett.



I'LL WASH, YOU DRY: It took all kinds of effort on the part of Lancaster Knights of Columbus, their families and SDG OPP officers and auxiliary members to make the K of C breakfast a success on April 13. Proceeds from the breakfast will go to the OPP Youth Summer Camp. Here, Constables Hamish MacDonell of the Lancaster office and Daniel Morin of the North Glengarry office get a helping hand from Mathieu Brunet of Bainsville. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

Students banish bullying by caring

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A number of students from S.J. McLeod shared a bus with children from Martintown PS to attend the Ontario Peer Helpers conference in Cornwall last Thursday.

Entitled "Banish bullying by Caring' the conference provided a series of workshops and a chance to network for students from a number of schools.

The UCDSB absorbed the cost of busing and registration for this outing which from all reports provided valuable insight to the nature and effects of bullying. We wish the Peer Helpers well in their quest to make the school environment a safe and secure place for all students.

The theme for the March Spirit Assembly was "Positive Attitude" Assemblies were held March 7 and 28. Winners of the awards for those dates include:

Kindergarten: John Alexander, Marina Rice, Grade 1: Jessica Clarke, Emma Darling; Grade 2: Jordan Sangster, Kelly McLeod; Grade 3/4: Ewen Thompson, Christine Oeggerli; Grade 5/6: Kris Foran, Annie Franklin, Grade 7: Olivia Dupuis, Leah Roberts; Grade 8: Courtney McCarthy, Lisa Dubeau, Kim Raymond; French: Lacey Macdonald, Kris Foran.

The S. J. McLeod community was deeply saddened to learn of the death of Penny McLeod last week. Sincere condolences are extended to Sam J. McLeod and his family on their loss.

Firefighters' brunch

Those whose Sunday mornings include "brunching out" will appreciate this advance notice of the spring brunch being hosted by the North Lancaster Volunteer Fire Dept.

The meal will be served on May 4 at the North Lancaster Optimist Club. Look for more details in next week's column.

Surprise!

A large group of friends and family were on hand at the Edgewater in Summerstown last Friday night to surprise Blake McDonell whose 40th birthday is April 16.

Blake took the good natured ribbing and appropriately nasty cards with his usual good cheer and broad smile. A good time was had by all in attendance and we join to wish Blake much happiness for the next 40. Happy birthday.

Birthday wishes

Birthday wishes are extended this week to Kelly McLeod, David McDonell and to Kerry Franklin who turns 50 on April 15th. Have a great day!

French public speaking

The Club Optimiste of North Lancaster has once again organized the French Public Speaking Contest for the pre-kindergarten to grade 8 students.

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Locals win student division of canoe race



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Sometimes a dunk or two in the Raisin has its rewards. It's an initiation for the fearless, a stepping stone on the path to courage.

Buckets full of congratulations go out this week to local youths, Eric Lapointe and Lachlan McDonald for winning the student-men's division of the Raisin River Canoe Race on Sunday.

Eric and Lachlan trained hard for the event – out in their canoes before the ice was out of the river, trailblazing, as it were, for the real thing. And when they had a little spill into waters so icy it left their teeth chattering for hours, did they quash their intentions of entering?

No siree! They persevered, entered the race, and won! Put that on those university applications, and watch the doors open….

Learned from the best

Of course Eric and Lachlan had a distinct advantage. Living "next door" and across the road from Williamstown's greatest river maestro, the two managed to pick up many a hint from Bruno Major.

Bruno and partner, Pierre Pinard, were first place winners in two categories – the 17 ft. Open and the Masters – with a time of 2:37:03, showing the boys that they still have some other hints to pass on in the future.

There is really something nice about seeing locals – and you can't get much more local than living on the banks of the Raisin – gliding to victory.

Congratulations, Bruno!

More local winners

Congratulations, too, to Corey and Joey Van Loon on their second place finish in the Pro Class, and to Trevor Bougie and Doug Winn on their third place roundup in the same class as Lachlan and Eric.

I missed Trevor's name in last year's list of winners, so was glad to be able to get the opportunity again.

No news is good news?

After my columnless week last week, I had expected to be bursting over the sides of this newspaper with lots of news. Not so.

Came home from Toronto on Sunday, to find only two messages on my machine – no news. Checked my e-mail inbox – 100 messages! Whoopee! Then I looked a little more closely. Nothing but junk!

I tell you, if I get one more invitation to add inches to a certain body part I seem to have been born without, I am going to hurl my computer, monitor and all, in the path of a passing dump truck.

But no promises.

Toronto wedding

Toronto was the scene on Saturday of the wedding of Dominic Stones to Margaret Bryant, of Toronto.

If asked to describe the wedding, I would have to say it was a "no frills" event. That is not to say that the bride wore black and the groom yellow – the usual No Frills colours – but rather that simplicity and spontaneity ruled the day.

The usual rehearsal dinner on Friday night, for instance, was replaced by a dinner for a horde of guests at a restaurant where street kids work – learning the ropes of restaurant running so that eventually they can find jobs.

Gaps in the serving were filled, amazingly, by a paper airplane flying spree started quite by accident. Before long, hundreds of planes were flying over the tables, landing in people's hair, spearing them between the eyes, before taking flight again under the aegis of new airline pilots. Even the oldest of the great-aunts and uncles took part, hurling planes with a vengeance. It was quite the funniest thing I have seen in a long time. I guess all those years of being suppressed paper airplane throwers in the classrooms of our youths, came out on Friday night.

The wedding was held at the Unitarian Church on Dundas Street and was a lovely, simple ceremony, with traditional vows.

The reception was held at George Brown College, where students in the culinary arts were being ma rked on their food preparation and serving skills. The five course meal featured roast beef and Yorkshire pudding – in honour of the many guests from England who were in attendance.

Making the trip from Williamstown (and area) were the groom's parents, Barbara and David Stones; Karen Kinloch, Lydia Glover, Earl Fourney, John and Jody Edwards, Elaine and Taffy Pye, Moira and Oliver Blacker, Jay and Nancy Woollven.

The groom's sister Tiffany Stones, and husband Ben Shaw attended from Texas, while David Woollven flew in from Vancouver, for the event.

Among those attending from England were Rene Stones, the groom's grandmother, and her daughter Janet and husband Patrick and children Jane and Richard.

Dominic and Margaret are honeymooning in New York City and reside in Toronto where they are both employed in the publishing world.

Euchre results

The open euchre at the Friendly Neighbours was held a week early this month so as not to interfere with Holy Thursday.

Winners included Cecile Legroulx, Therese Viau, Shirley Bougie, Tony Wetering, Yvan Bougie and John Krol.

Tony Wetering also won the door prize.

Please note there will be no cards this week.

Condolences

The community was so very saddened to learn of the death of Jill and Jamie McIntosh's infant son, Conor Alexander, on April 9.

Our heartfelt sympathy is sent to you both as well as to grandparents Rob and Barbara McIntosh and Alan and Wendy MacKenzie on this unexpected loss.

Lost the bridge scores!

My apologies to Garry O'Connell and Williamstown Bridge Club players – I seem to have just lost your scores. Next week I'll run the past three, if you send them to me again.

Nutrient management bylaw should protect township

By Kristina Wilson
News Reporter

North Glengarry residents who feared the invasion of mega hog barns in the township should be able to rest a little easier now.

Council passed a nutrient management bylaw Monday evening which gives the municipality a bit more clout when dealing with intensive farming applications.

Mr. Hart told council he was on holidays when the issue recently surfaced at a council meeting, but he got on it as soon as he returned.

At the March 24 meeting, North Glengarry resident Mireille Dauphinais informed council she had received warning that a mega hog barn application would soon be coming to the township.

She was concerned because the township's interim control bylaw regarding nutrient management had expired and could not be renewed.

The temporary bylaw had been put in place while the township waited for provincial Bill 81, the Nutrient Management Act, to be put in place. An interim bylaw is good for 12 months and can only be renewed once, for an additional 12 months.

Bill 81 is still not official.

The township is protected by a United Counties bylaw on nutrient management, but some residents at that meeting felt it was not strong enough.

At this week's meeting (April 14), Mr. Hart brought forth a bylaw, originally put in place in the Township of West Perth, which should serve North Glengarry well until Bill 81 is passed.

"It's a good start," he explained to council.

"It gives us some direction."

The United Counties bylaw allows the municipality to request nutrient management plans from applicants, but the bylaw Mr. Hart presented allows it to further ask for a hydrogeological study and a site plan.

"If an application came in tomorrow," Mayor Bill Franklin pointed out, "Terry would have to jump through hoops to get them to show there's water enough there."

The mayor said the proposed bylaw is no more restrictive than what is currently in place.

"It allows the township to ask for things without going through convoluted channels," he said.

"We have no interest in blocking hog barns, cattle barns or chicken barns, but we want the process done in such a way to have no detrimental effects."

"All of this will disappear when Bill 81 comes in," Mr. Hart noted, adding the bylaw would give the township some protection in the meantime.

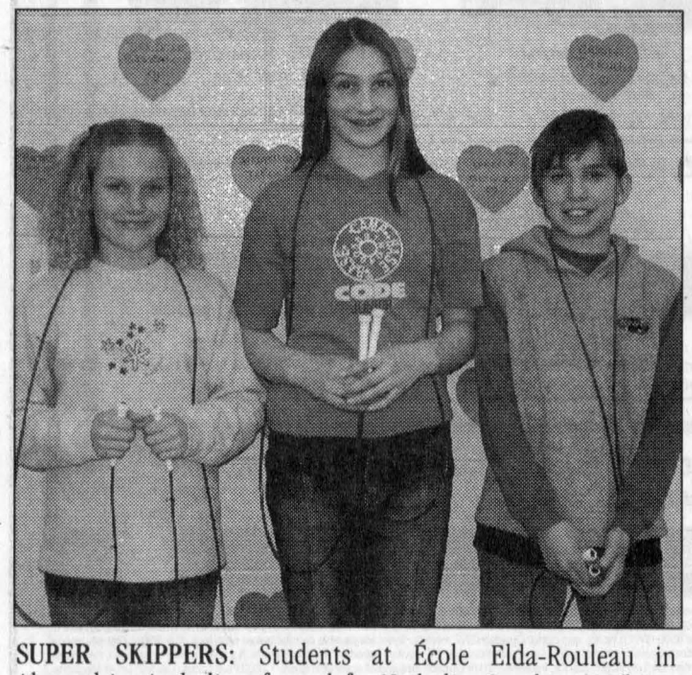
Three requests for information on hog barns have already crossed his desk, he added. All of them are from out of province.

The West Perth bylaw has already proven its soundness: it was challenged at the Ontario Municipal Board and was upheld.

Councillor Julie Akkermans requested the vote be recorded. Only Deputy-Mayor William Hagen voted against the bylaw. Lochiel ward councillor Ron MacDonell was absent from the meeting.

"I feel we're protected pretty well by Counties," Mr. Hagen said before the vote.

"I don't see the urgency (in passing this bylaw.)"



SUPER SKIPPERS: Students at École Elda-Rouleau in Alexandria, including from left, Nathalie Gauthier, Mélanie Ranger and Nathan Piette, raised nearly $4,000 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation on April 1 during Jump Rope for Heart.

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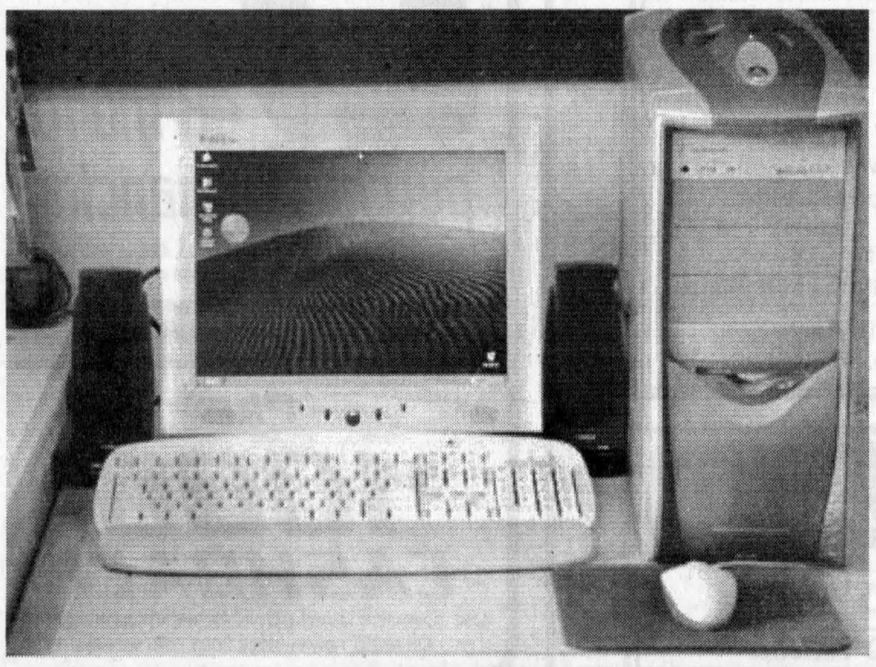

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TOP SPEAKERS: The Club Optimiste of North Lancaster once again organized the French Public Speaking Contest for the pre-Kindergarten to Grade 8 students. This competition was held at École Sainte-Thérèse in North Lancaster on April 4. Younger students from pre-Kindergarten to Grade 3 participated in a Show and Tell. Students were invited to write and deliver an essay about I feel good when... Here are the Club's winners of École Sainte-Thérèse of North Lancaster.

Two hundred women altogether in one room and it was nothing but wonderful. I am speaking of Rural Ladies Day 2003 held Monday at the Bonnie Glen and if my column seems a trifle disjointed, it was written before and after this event.

Rural Ladies Day is in its 16th year. If this year's program is any indication it is an example of very good organization, down to the last detail, and, of course, wonderful volunteer work to make it happen.

They say laughter is good for the soul. That being true, we all left in the afternoon with restored souls and some with great draw prizes as well.

The group paid rapt attention to a very interesting speech by Ms Pelletier about abused women and the many resources that are now available in our area. This was followed by many good questions from the audience.

Sid, the accessory guy, was a blast and provided advice and many items for sale, "at a cheaper price than the big brand names" and sure to complement your wardrobe. Copies is his game, and there were rural women crowded around his displays. There were many other excellent booths to browse and buy between sessions and the excellent lunch.

In the afternoon "Gailuron" a group from Cornwall, entertained everyone with many joining in the songs. Their Chicken Dance isn't exactly the one we know and it was extremely funny.

Finally, the best laugh of the day was a skit presented by the Bainsville Women's Institute. It was all about a new revolutionary product, a simply super women's 'figure enhancer' that defies gravity and certainly draws attention to the wearer.

Evidently it is available at Giant Tiger in Alexandria (not!) and it is advisable that a woman should purchase two in the many shades available, such as olive drab and bloodshot pink. The models included Mz. Ava Garbor, Mz. North Pole, Mz. Lancaster Perch, Tigress Woods, Curly Rock (curler) and Mz. Chateau Gardens. Hilarious, and all to the music of Liberace, the wonderfully talented pianist Liette Butrym.

In the end, and it was the end of the day, the busts were burst and everyone was back to normal. Well done!

Earth Month

April is Earth Month and Tuesday is Earth Day in Canada. Since 1991 EDC or Earth Day Canada has co-ordinated Earth Day and Earth Month celebrations nationally and provided resources, user-friendly programs and networking assistance to help Canadians help Canada.

Heather Moore of the St. Lawrence Institute of Environmental Sciences forwarded this information to me. She always keeps me up to date on such good things.

The Theme for the EDC in the year 2003 is Personal Action Individual Responsibility. If you wish to find out more for yourself or a group just log on to www.earthday.ca It's there for you.

Oratorical contest

Speaking of themes, the latest theme for the International Optimist Oratorical Contest this year is "United We Stand."

It seems that our Lancaster Optimist Oratorical Contests have produced some pretty good speakers in past years, sending young speakers all of the way to District. Such is the case again this year.

Congratulations to Rebecca Kirkby from Williamstown Public School. After placing first in the Zone Contest, Rebecca will compete at the Regional Level in Scarborough, on April 26. Cheers for you, Rebecca and good luck!

South Lancaster St. Andrew's

On Sunday, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was celebrated and distributed at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, South Lancaster, to 125 members. During the service Rev. MacMillan welcomed into the church family, by Act of Session, Mrs. Sheila Robson. Following worship the congregation had the opportunity to welcome Sheila during the Coffee Fellowship Hour in the church hall.

A Good Friday service will be held 7:30 p.m. at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. There will be special music and a Fellowship Hour. The community is invited to attend.

Last Lenten Service

Today, Wednesday, is the last Noon Hour Lenten Service at Knox Church in Lancaster. Worship Leader will be Rev. Dan Howard with Allison Ruston as music leader.

Our local churches work together on this popular Lenten series of services and in the same vein, Rev. Gary Stokes has kindly provided us with a complete listing of church services for Holy Week.

Holy Week services

ANGLICAN – St. John's Anglican in Bainsville: April 17, Maundy Thursday Service, 7:30 p.m. Father Peter. Good Friday Service, 10 a.m. Bill Brown, choir director. April 19, Great Vigil of Easter, 8 p.m. and Easter Sunday Communion, 9:15 a.m. Father Peter.

PRESBYTERIAN – St. Andrew's in South Lancaster: Good Friday Service, 7:30 p.m. Easter Sunday Service, 11 a.m.

St. Andrew's in Martintown, Easter Sunday Service, 9:30 a.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC – St. Joseph's in Lancaster: April 17, Celebrations of the Lord's Supper, 8 p.m. Good Friday, April 18, The Passion of Our Lord, 3 p.m. April 19, Pascal Vigil and First Mass of Easter, 8 p.m. Easter Sunday Mass at 11 a.m.

St. Lawrence in Curry Hill: Good Friday, The Way of the Cross, 8 p.m. Easter Sunday, Easter Mass, 9.30 a.m.

St. Mary's in Williamstown: April 17, Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7.30 p.m. Good Friday, Celebration of the Lord's Passion, 3 p.m. April 19, Easter Vigil, 8 p.m. and Easter Sunday Service, 10:30 a.m.

St. William's in Martintown: Good Friday, Celebration of the Lord's Passion, 3 p.m. Easter Sunday Service, 9 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH – St. Andrew's in Martintown: Good Friday Service, 11 a.m. Easter Sunday Service, 11 a.m.

St. Andrew's in Williamstown, Easter Sunday Service, 9:30 a.m.

Thank you

Participants of combined Bible Study classes with St. Joseph and St. John's during Lent are very grateful to Father Rudy for his leadership.

Spaghetti supper

The St. Lawrence Parish in Curry Hill invites you to their annual Spaghetti Supper on April 27. Come from 4 until 8 p.m. Admission $7, ages 5 to 12 years $4 and children under 5 years free! St. Lawrence parish is on the 4th Line road, just north of the 401 overpass beside the Esso Truck Stop. There will be continuous entertainment.

The Way of the Cross

On Good Friday, another ecumenical event, The Way of the Cross, will take place. Our local churches extend an invitation to all to take part in this walk.

The Way of the Cross will start at noon at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster. The first stop will be at the Dairy Queen and then the procession will go on to St. Joseph's Church on Oak Street in Lancaster. There, a service will be held before going on to Knox United Church in Lancaster and another brief service. Please feel free to join in at any part of this special Easter event.

Puddleduck Egg Hunt

Mr. Puddleduck is spruced up and all ready to greet the children at Cooper Marsh on Easter Monday. Yes, on April 21 from 2 until 4 p.m. all of the children in the area are invited, once again, to come for the Puddleduck Easter Egg Hunt at the Visitors' Centre.

Cooper Marsh Conservator chairperson Gera Leblanc assures me that clowns, balloons, an 'egg' hunt, videos and more is all in the works for this popular event. It's free, thanks to the Cooper Marsh Conservators, and it happens rain or shine!

Library reopens

'Hooray!' say the readers. At the regular time, our Lancaster Library opened Tuesday and is back to business as usual. Next Tuesday there will be another Preschool Story Time for our young readers. Come at 10:30 a.m. For info call 347-2311.

Easter Breakfast

Everyone welcome! On Easter Sunday the Men's Fellowship Group of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster will be hosting breakfast. From 9 until 10:30 a.m. breakfast, including bacon, eggs, sausages, toast, juice and coffee, will be served in the parish hall for only $5, children $2, under six free and a family limit of $15.

Local parish bingo players ham it up



ST. RAPHAEL'S

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Results of the Annual Ham Bingo at St. Raphael's Parish Centre were as follows: Winners of small hams: Marcelle Dorie, John Van Blankers, Elizabeth Lenczinski, Mary McCormick, Albert Scharf, Clifford MacCulloch, Andrea Gauthier, Ines O'Connor, Orey St. Onge and Johanna Cooper.

The winner of the large ham was Elsie Rozon. Winners of the specials were Mary McGillis, Mary McCormick, Diane McKinnon and Joan Thibeau.

Elizabeth Lenczinski won the door prize and 50/50 winners were Ann MacDonald, Johanna Cooper, Marcelle Dorie and Elsie Rozon.

When the bingo was finished a special surprise took place when Linda Brunet produced another dozen door prizes.

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Over 70 delegates attend horticultural meeting



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The annual meeting of District One of the Ontario Horticultural Association was hosted this year by the Maxville and District Society and was held last Saturday at the Sports Complex.

The meeting was conducted by district director Ann Kerr, assisted by secretary-treasurer Margaret Scott and past president of the local society, Mabel Guindon, in the absence of president Jean MacCuaig.

The delegates numbered about 75 and were from the seven societies of the district Alfred, Cornwall, Martintown, Maxville, Russell, Vankleek Hill and Williamstown.

Councillor George Currier brought greetings from the North Glengarry Township council in the absence of Mayor Bill Franklin. Carma Williams, president of the Chamber of Commerce, also spoke and thanked the members of the local society for their volunteer work in caring for the many flower beds in the village.

The parent organization was represented at the meeting by Wilma Wood from Thunder Bay and first vice-president of the OHA. Mrs. Wood brought greetings, explained the works in progress and promoted the annual convention that will be held in Windsor this August 8-10.

The first guest speaker was Diane Lunan from Marlin Orchards and Greenhouses east of Cornwall on County Road 2. Her topic was container planting and she had brought with her several new plants that would be ideal for large containers.

The buffet lunch was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Nielsen.

Local members earning prizes in the competitions included Mrs. Guindon, Mrs. Kerr, Charlotte Kennedy and Joyce Ferguson.

The afternoon speaker was Gillian Boyd from Ottawa who showed slides of her many perennial flowers around her home. In fact, she admitted that she preferred flowers to grass and therefore had no lawn.

Leo Durocher, Vankleek Hill, was presented with the District Service Award for his many good works over the years.

These included offices in his home society as well as with the one in Alfred, and his work with the Nature Society and with the Alfred Bog projects.

Verna MacGregor, Elmira, had received the same award some time ago. She had been a valued member of the Maxville society for many years and had served as secretary-treasurer of the district for nine years.

The society which had the most interesting and full report was the Williamstown one and it was awarded the District Trophy. The Martintown Society received the Gordon and Marnie Thom Trophy for its work with Juniors and the local society earned the Wilma and Sam Woosey plaque for earning the most points in the competitions.

The meeting next year will be in Williamstown. The present officers, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Scott and Linda Stewart, assistant director from Vankleek Hill, were returned to office.

Pass century mark

Best wishes go to two ladies who have passed the century mark. On April 7, Charlotte Michaud was 101 and on the same day, a former resident, Catherine Clavette was 102.

Maxville history

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of a very complete history of Maxville from Gloria Greer Scott who lives with her husband Neil in Westport.

Gloria prepared the project while a high school student here and wishes it to have some permanent home.

I will be pleased to loan it to anyone and then plan to give it a permanent home in the library of Maxville Manor.

Our thanks go to Gloria for remembering her home town.

MacRae's home

Isabel and Bruce MacRae, Waterdown, have been home and in particular to attend the canoe races on Sunday. Their two sons have been participating in the races for a few years now, do well, but do not enter others.

Sympathies

The sympathy of the wide community goes to Doris MacIntosh and to all family members in the death of her husband, Weldon, on April 5.

Weldon was a well-known farmer at Skye and the esteem in which he and his family are held was indicated by the very large number who called at the funeral home, by the host of floral tributes and by the capacity crowd which attended the funeral in his church, Kenyon Presbyterian, in Dunvegan.

Sympathy also goes to the members of the Grant family, originally from Moose Creek, in the death of Mazel Grant Bradley at the Rideau Crest Nursing Home in Kingston on Feb. 6 at the age of 84.

She was the wife of Forrest and the oldest child of Willis and Belle Grant. Her only brother, Keith, died in 1997. She is survived by her sisters Marion Marks and Vera MacEwen, her sister-in-law Hazel Grant and her brother-in-law Don Marks, as well as several nieces and nephews.

The memorial service and interment were held in Gananoque last Saturday.

St. James' CWL

The monthly meeting of St. James' CWL was held on April 7 with president Jeannie Coleman conducting the regular opening. Celine Flynn had the worship service and roll call was answered by 18.

Lucy Rolland was asked to be the representative at the Manor's Volunteer Appreciation Day on April 24.

April 26 is the feast day of the Council's Patroness, Our Lady of Good Counsel, and on this day the members will meet at the church at 9 a.m. for prayers. A breakfast, with Joanna Vander Wielen in charge, will follow.

All those making their first communion this year will receive New Testaments.

Emma Rose Rayburn extended an invitation to join with St. Anthony's Church for a farewell gathering for Fr. Godwin who is leaving Apple Hill to study in Germany and for Deacon Carmen Fraser who is retiring.

Fr. Jacques Labelle spoke on Bishop Paul Andre Durocher's visit. While here, he visited the Manor, both schools and conducted all the services in both parishes. The ladies hosted an open house on Saturday and many appreciated this opportunity to meet the Bishop.

The project to raise funds to purchase grain to feed destitute people in Ethiopia through the Canadian Foodgrains Bank has proven to be very successful. The ladies have pledged 10 bags and this brings the church's total to a bit more than 100 bags.

The meeting closed with prayer. The next meeting will be on May 12 and will be hosted by Christine DeRepentigny's group.

During the social hour which followed a birthday cake in the shape of an Easter bunny was the highlight. Happy Birthday was sung for seven and these included Charlotte Michaud, at home and a weight watcher who has become a pensioner.

Cemetery board

The annual meeting of the Maxville Cemetery Board will be held at the Munro and Morris Funeral Home on April 29 at 8 p.m. All plot holders are eligible to attend and they will be welcomed.

No meeting

The local horticultural society will not hold a meeting this month.

Bake and craft sale

A bake and craft sale sponsored by the staff committee at the Manor will be held this week, on Thursday, at the front of the Manor from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Lost and found

There are two lost and found items at the local Post Office which may be claimed upon proper identification. One is a cellular phone which was found outside and the other a good, lady's dress ring.

Earth Day

Earth Day is April 22, and on that day the Raisin Region Conservation Authority will be giving away 1,000 spruce saplings from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This is your opportunity to pick some up, plant them and thus assist in the beautification of your property, the environment and the wild life.

Dinner and movie night

The Maxville Recreation Committee is hosting a dinner and a movie night this Thursday at the complex. The usual dinner of a hot dog, chips and a drink will cost $2 and will be served at 5.30 p.m. The free movie, Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets, will start at 6.

Following the movie, there will be a youth dance until 11 p.m. and the cost for it is $3.

Bridge

The winners at the Saturday afternoon bridge party at the Manor last week were Margaret Anderson, Bernice Burwash and Charles Anderson.

This activity is sponsored by the Seniors' Outreach Services program. It starts at around 1:15 p.m. in an activity room in G Wing and is open to all senior bridge players in the community.

Warmth good for syrup

The warm weather last week was welcomed by the maple syrup producers, many of whom are in the business in a big way. Earlier, the cold weather had kept the trees dormant. There is still time for lots of sap to fill the pipe lines or buckets and thus enable those who have regular markets, to fulfill their commitments.

Wildlife

One of the advantages of living in the country or on the outskirts of the village is the opportunity to observe wild life. Right now, a mother fox is caring for four pups that are old enough to come out of the den and to nibble on dry dog food that is being left for them around the burrow.

My bird feed was used up just when the bad weather ended and now all my feeders are away except one.

I have left a cake of fat out for the woodpeckers that are coming regularly and will leave it there until it is used up or becomes rancid.

Parishes celebrate Holy Week



GREENFIELD

MARY COUTURE
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Holy week celebrations for St. Catherines and St. Finnan's parishes:

Holy Thursday, April 17: "Celebration of the Lord's Last Supper" at St. Finnan's at 7 p.m.

Good Friday, April 18: "Celebration of the Lord's Passion", St. Finnan's at 3 p.m. "Stations of the Cross", St. Finnan's at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 19: "Easter Vigil", St. Finnan's at 8 p.m.

Sunday, April 20: "Resurrection of our Lord": St. Catherine of Sienna at 9:30 a.m. St. Finnan's at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. May we feel the joy of the Resurrection and continue on our journey to know Christ better.

Pride Day

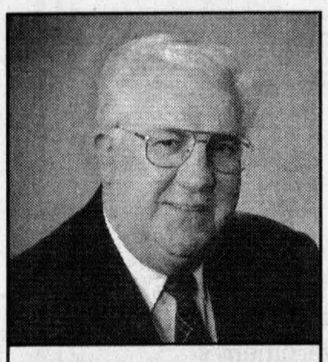
Remember that April 26 is Pride Day in North Glengarry. Help tidy up the roadways and yards for summer.

Florida trip

Annette and Jack Smith have returned from two weeks visiting in Florida.

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to the Seguin family on the recent passing of Andre Seguin. The funeral took place at St. Catherine Sienna on Saturday.



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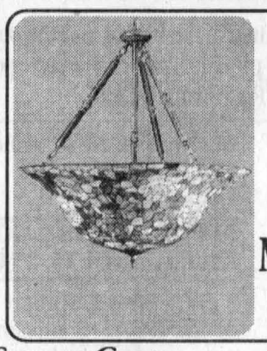

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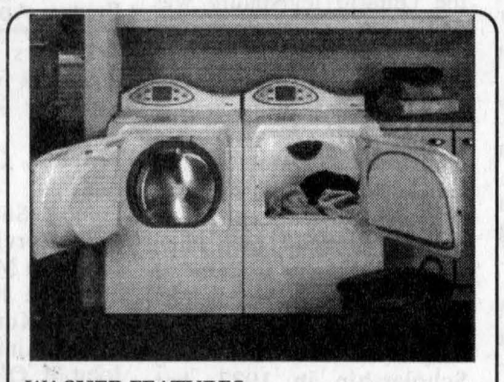

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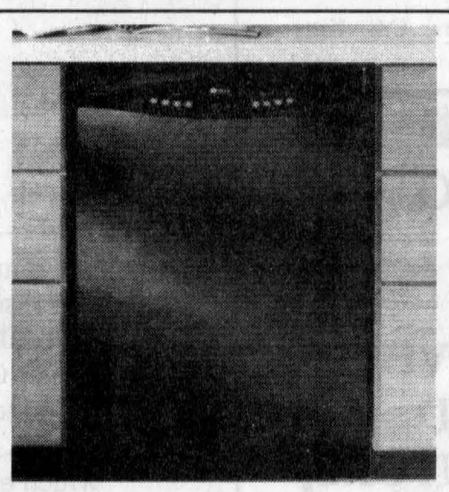

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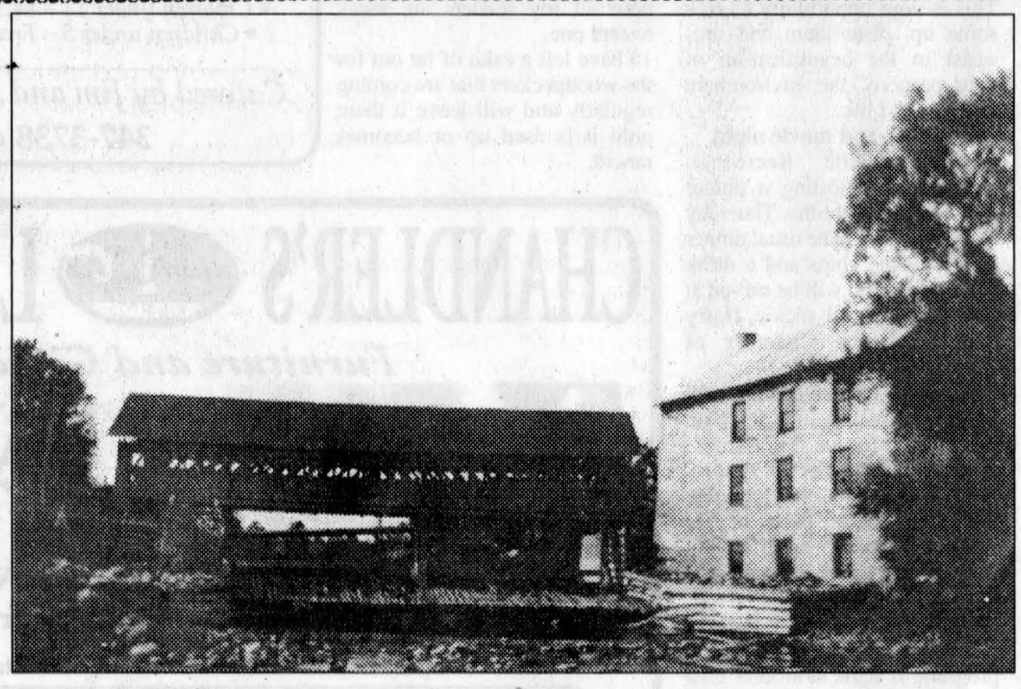

SCENES FROM THE PAST: Pictured is the bridge and the old mill in Martintown. The existing bridge in Martintown (no longer covered) provided one of the best spots for spectators to take in the 30th annual Raisin River White Water Canoe Race last weekend. SUBMITTED PHOTO

100 YEARS AGO
Friday, April 17, 1903

•A farewell dance was held in the fire hall on Monday evening for Geo. Ritchie and John D. McDonald, who leave for the West next Monday.

•At the recent medical examinations at McGill, the Glengarry students did well. Gus McIntosh of Dalkeith and S. Markson of Glen Robertson were among the successful ones.

•On the evening previous to his departure for the West, a number of friends and acquaintances assembled at the home of Alex McLeod, 7th Kenyon, to show their universal regret at his removal.

•The following teachers are at their homes in Maxville for the holidays: Miss Bertha McDougall, Laggan; Miss M.G. McDougall, St. Elmo; Miss Florence McDougall, Alexandria, and Miss Ada McDougall, Finch.

•T. McDonald, Williamstown, is to be congratulated on securing the degree of MD at Queen's University.

•Duncan T. Chisholm left for the West on Thursday of last week.

NINETY FIVE YEARS AGO
Friday, April 17, 1908

•At the annual meeting of the Alexandria Lacrosse Club, held Tuesday evening, Dr. Hope was authorized to write Cornwall to try and arrange for a Cornwall-Ottawa-Alexandria league. Officers elected were: president, D.A. McDonald; 1st vice, A.G.F. Macdonald; 2nd vice, E.B. Ostrom; secretary-treasurer, Dr. J.T. Hope; committee, W.J. Simpson, Geo. Simon, Donald McPhee, Real Huot and Jos. Lalonde.

•Jules Delage, our enterprising young liveryman, has on the road this week a handsome new bus.

•Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Saunders and children, who spent the winter in town, left on Monday for their summer home at Billing's Bridge, Ottawa.

•Trustees of SS No. 24, Laggan, are calling for tenders for the erection of a school house.

•Chas. Gauthier of Ottawa University is spending Easter with his father, J.N. Gauthier and family.

•It is reported that Duncan J. McPherson has rented a peice of land at the northwest corner of the iron bridge spanning the River Aux Raisins, at Lancaster, where a suitable building will at once be erected for manufacture of his cheese boxes. The construction work is in the hands of David Robertson.

EIGHTY YEARS AGO
Friday, April 15, 1923

•On Thursday of last week, friends and neighbours gathered at the residence of C. Dadey, Kirk Hill, to bid farewell to Mr. Dadey and his sister, Miss Norah Dadey, who are removing to Alexandria where they will reside.

•The electric light was turned on in South Lancaster for the first time Tuesday night.

•S. Carriere of the 9th Lancaster, has joined the office staff of the Graham Creamery Co.

•By the will of the late Isabella McRae of Toronto, $3,000 is left to McGill University to form a McRae Scholarship fund to assist students from Maxville village and a similar bequest is made to Queen's.

•Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald and family have arrived from Vancouver to take up residence on Mr. D. Bonsecour's farm, King's Road, Martintown.

•W. Major, who had been on the Union Bank staff here, has been transferred to the branch at Dalhousie Station.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO
Friday, April 14, 1933

•Reduction of 22 seats in the Ontario legislature was definitely announced Tuesday at Toronto. Glengarry under the new setup will consist of the county of Glengarry, the Township of Caledonia, part of East Hawkesbury Township and the town of Vankleek Hill.

•R.B. MacLeod, MA, PhD, former honour student of psychology and philosophy at McGill and winner of a Moyse Travelling Scholarship in 1927, has been appointed an assistant professor in psychology at Swarthmore College, Pa. Dr. MacLeod, who was born at Martintown, is a son of the late Rev. J.B. MacLeod.

•At graduating exercises of the Lachine General Hospital, held in St. Andrew's Hall, Lachine, on March 22, the nurses receiving their diplomas and medals included: Miss Ruby MacMillan, Miss Annabel MacIntosh, Miss Isabel Lunt MacMillan, Miss Anne Louise Henry.

SIXTY YEARS AGO
Friday, April 16, 1943

•Sgt.-Pilot J. Hubert Morris of the RCAF is missing after air operations overseas, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Morris, Alexandria. The 23-year-old bomber pilot has been overseas since last August 1942, and has been over enemy territory several times.

•Mrs. Colin Campbell, Apple Hill, has received word of the promotion of her son, Sgt.-Observer Hugh W. Campbell, to the rank of Flight-Sergeant. He is attached to the RAF overseas.

•Glengarry cheese patrons are protesting the price set for cheese at 20 cents at factory plus Ontario bonus and quality premium. They want at least two cents more.

•LAC Lauchlin MacInnes of the RCAF has arrived overseas, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacInnes of Maxville, have learned.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
Friday, April 17, 1953

•Tenders are being called this week for construction of the new Alexandria High School.

•Sgt. Conrad Seguin reached his Alexandria home, Saturday, after a year's service in Korea. Pte. Cameron McCormick is now en route home and others leaving Korea this month are Major Aime Huot and Pte. John M. O'Connell.

•A group of teenagers have organized the Glengarry Social Club and their first outing will be tonight's dance at the Glengarry Club of Montreal in the Palais d'Or. Ronald Menard is president; Mildred MacMillan, vice-president and Jean Conroy, secretary-treasurer. Directors are Will Campbell, Ruth McLeod and Lindy McDonald.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Kitts and family have arrived in Lancaster from Almonte. Mr. Kitts has taken over as manager of the Bank of Montreal.

FORTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, April 18, 1963

•No progress is reported by the OPP in the search for two gunmen who robbed and brutally beat up Robert McLaughlin, storekeeper at the Brown House, Saturday night. Found unconscious in his store, Mr. McLaughlin suffered a double fracture of the jaw and a broken cheekbone.

•Arthur Quesnel who operates the Bar-B-Q restaurant, has purchased the building from Adelard Menard.

•Kathy Shepherd of Alexandria won five firsts in open dancing competition at Montreal. Katherine Kennedy won three season's trophies in the competition open to Glengarry and Stormont dancers.

•Denis Bourdeau of Lancaster, who completes the course at Kemptville this month, will join Eastern Breeders as a technician.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, April 19, 1973

•The first White Water Canoe Race on the Riviere au Raisin attracted 37 entries and a large number of spectators, Sunday.

•Two five-year-old boys were accident victims in the area Friday. David Everson, 3rd Con. Lancaster, died when fire destroyed the farm home of his parents. At Glen Robertson, Craig Wallace, was killed as he drove his tricycle on the sidewalk as a light truck entered a service station.

•Gilles Roy and Hubert Carriere of Roy's Garage have won a trip to Spain from General Motors.

•Easter this year marks the end of the curling season and start of the golf season here. All greens will be ready for play Saturday.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
Wednesday, April 20,1983

•Norah McRae, retiring after nearly 26 years as Glengarry district court clerk, was tendered a testimonial dinner last week at the Priest's Mill.

•Alexandria's Action Garderie Alexandria Daycare Action's drop-in centre over the Sports Palace was officially opened Thursday.

TEN YEARS AGO
Wednesday, April 21, 1993

•Bainsville's oldest resident, 93-year-old George Osborne, cut the ribbon at the grand reopening of Sangster's general store last Saturday after having been burned to the ground. Before the fire, the 113-year-old store had barely changed from its original look, except for the installation of electricity in 1924 when they replaced the oil burning lamps.

•Some 400 canoeists had their skills put to the test under possibly the fastest conditions ever in the twentieth anniversary of the Raisin River Canoe Race. Some won the battle against the swollen river, some gave up in defeat. But all had, and provided fun for record crowds of well over 5,000 this year.

•Alexandria council has for the first time in at least six years finished with a surplus of $23,000 which is a change from the previous six years in which the council had large deficits.

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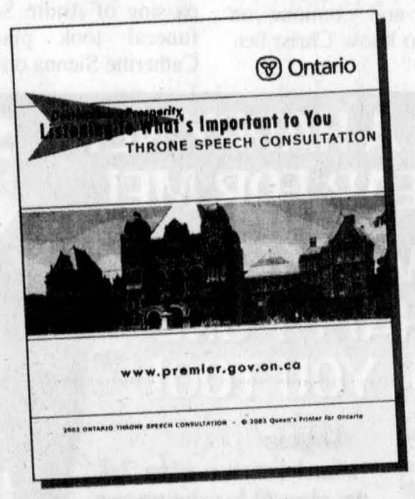

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St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church, on Good Friday, "Way of the Cross" at 7:30 p.m. On Easter Sunday, the Mass of the Resurrection at 11:15 a.m.

St. Columba Presbyterian and Kirkhill United have joint Maundy Thursday service at the United Church at 8 p.m. On Good Friday the two churches join together at St. Columba for an 11 a.m. service. Each congregation will have an Easter Sunday service at 11 a.m.

Breadalbane Baptist Church will have a Good Friday service at 11 a.m. with members from Vankleek Hill Baptist joining in the service. Easter Sunday service will be at 11 a.m. All are welcome to join any of these services.

Condolences

Eileen MacGillivray recently visited her sister Florence Cameron, who was seriously ill in New Glasgow, N.S. and, with many other relatives and friends, was saddened to hear of her death on April 9.

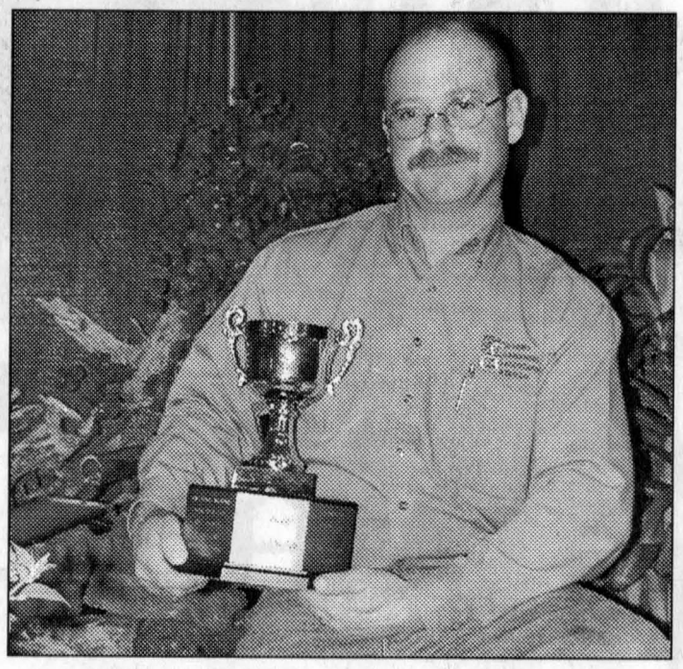
Predeceased by her husband Robert Burns Cameron, daughter Peggy, sisters Ethel MacLeod, Betty Boyd and brother Murray, she is survived by her children Christine Antoniadis (Robert), Hugh (Gail), R.B. (Nancy), Elizabeth, Jamie (Sheila), Donald (Dorothy), Harry (Michele); 16 grandchildren, sister Eileen MacGillivray and brothers Donald, Bob and Will Campbell.

Attending the funeral service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, New Glasgow on Saturday, were: from Sault Ste. Marie, Florence (MacLeod) Purnis and Patricia (Boyd) Tossill; from Toronto, Margaret (MacLeod) Morrissey and Elizabeth (MacLeod) Blight; from St. Catherines: Will Ruth, Scott Campbell and Beth Natale; from Dalkeith: Bob, Lois, Patti and Duncan Campbell and Peggy Vander Weilen, Marg and Campbell MacGillivray.

Sandbags

The final week of Sandbags was played on March 28. High square: Anita St. Louis - 1,310; Lise Beaudry - 1,220; Marthe Chenier - 1,110; Alain Piche - 1,550; Yvon Paquette - 1,350. High Single - Anita St. Louis - 4,830; Pauline Piche - 4,680; Jean-Guy Chenier - 5,030; Sylvain Lemay - 5,010. High Double - Pauline Piche - 8,610; Anita St. Louis - 8,090, Alain Piche - 9,530; Rene Beaudry - 9,410.

The first place team for the season consisted of Sylvain Piche, Sylvain Lemay, Jean Guy Chenier and Ronald Sicotte. In the playoff, the A winning team was Albert and Juliette Quesnel, Rene and Lise Beaudry. The B team was Yvon Theoret, Ginette Depot and Guy Perreault.



AWARD-WINNING DISPLAY: Scherer Landscaping of Dalkeith earned the Pure Natural Health Food EEE Trophy for Excellent Extra Effort at the Champlain Commercial Fair in Vankleek Hill on April 12 and 13. Here, business owner Andy Scherer shows off his award along with the fountain and bridge which were part of his company's booth. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

Final results

Highest Average Women: Pauline Piche, 4,004; Men: Alain Piche, 5,277; Highest Double Women: Pauline Piche, 9,910; Men: Alain Piche, 14,090; High Single Women: Pauline Piche, 5,820; Men: Alain Piche, 7,420; Highest Square Women: Lina Arcand, 1,490; Men: Alain Piche, 2,090; Most 300 Women: Gisele Ouellette, 22; Men: Alain Piche, 438; Most 250 Women: Nathalie Duquette, 85; Men: Alain Piche, 77.

Many thanks for sending me these reports all winter. Congratulations to the winners. Have a good summer and we'll look for you next fall.

Laggan euchre

Euchre at Laggan was April 10. Ladies 1st: Isobel MacLennan; 2nd: Lorraine DeRepentigny; Men 1st: Leonide Rozon; 2nd: Roger Brazeau.

Door prize: Gordon Turnbull. Three jars of maple syrup were donated by Rolland Paquette and won by Estelle Brazeau, Mervyn McDonald and Leonide Rozon. 50/50 - Isobel MacLennan, Leonide Rozon, Doris MacMaster, Yvon DeRepentigny. Convenors were Betty MacCrimmon, Connie Howes and Nancy MacDonald. The next play is April 24.

French family seminar

"Amener mon enfant" will meet at Le Centre Culturel, les trois p'tits points..., Alexandria, from 7-9 p.m. on April 24. The topic covered will be strategies to help your child in preparation for school. These studies are in French. To reserve or get more information, call 874-2983 after 3 p.m.

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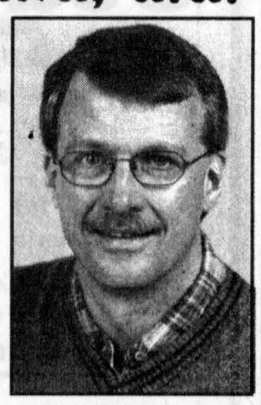

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Education week at Laurier-Carriere begins April 28



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Education week will be held at Ecole Laurier-Carriere from April 28 to May 2 with many activities: a book fair on April 29 where the school will stay open till 7 p.m. and parents are welcome as 10 per cent of the sales will go to supply books for the library.

There will also be an orthography contest on May 1 for Grade 1 to 8. On May 2, Grade 5 to 8 will assist at a folklorique presentation animated by François Viau, entitled "Mémoire d'un pays" at Ste. Thérèse school in North Lancaster while the younger grades will attend a play "La ferme a Jo-Jo" at Ste. Marie in Green Valley.

These two spectacles are presented in collaboration with Le Centre Culturel as well as the Optimist Clubs of the region who made monetary donations.

Happy retirement at the end of this school year to education director, Mr. Jean-Jacques Legault after 34 years of experience in education.

The Catholic schools of SDG will participate in Alexandria Trade Show on April 24-27 in Alexandria. Information booths will be at your disposal but mostly they want the children to enjoy themselves with make-up, games, balloons, draws and much more.

50/50 winners

50/50 winners at last week's Diners' Club were Juliette Robertson, Inez Rogenda, Thérèse Lafrance, Betty McDonell and Frank Brooker.

Door prizes went to Tonie Oetelaar, Thérèse Lafrance, Phyllis Terry, Lorna Chapman, Frank Brooker, Mireille Dauphinais, Janet Kirton, Doris Spencer, Inez Rogenda. Many bingo prizes were also given away.

All the people who enjoyed the Diners' were certainly happy to see a nice Easter egg filled with chocolate goodies at every setting and all this graciously donated by Mary Lambert. Many Thanks! Next Diners' will be on May 8 and on the menu is roast turkey. Please reserve by calling 525-4443.

Dedicated women

Many thanks to Moira VanNooten and Liliane Ricard who every Friday night after mass during Lent offered a movie which was very appreciated by the interested spectators.

Euchre

Winners of the April 8 euchre were: Rita Chartrand, Marie-Thérèse Théoret, Aimé Théoret, Béatrice Lalonde, Marguerite Massie, Juliette Robertson and Claude Massie. The skunk went to Gérard Paquette, the 50/50 to Aimé Théoret, Jean-Lucien Larocque, Cécile Lortie and the door prize to Gilberte Girard. The last euchre party will be on April 22 and will resume in September.

Club 65

The closing supper and dance for Club 65 will be held on May 6. For tickets, please phone a Club 65 member.

A bus trip to the Hull Casino is planned for April 29.

Schedule for masses

This Thursday of the Holy Week, there will be an evening mass of the Lord's Supper at 8 p.m. On Good Friday at 3 p.m., the celebration of the Lord's Passion will take place and on Saturday night the bilingual Easter vigil will start at 9 p.m. On Sunday Easter, a bilingual mass will be at the usual time of 9:30 a.m. Welcome to all!

Elections

Glen Robertson Optimist Club elections were held last Sunday at the Alexandria Pizzeria to elect a new executive for 2003-04. Daniel Lefebvre was elected president; secretary is Rose-Anne Théoret; treasurer, Pierre Larocque; internal vice-president; Dianne Larocque; external vice-president, Butch McCarthy; directors for one year, François Beauclair, Richard Hamelin, Sue Poirier, and for two years, Richard Théoret, Linda Hamelin and Colette Sauvé. Johanne McCarthy is still president up to the end of September and doing a super job.

The bicycle rodeo was discussed as well as the golf tournament which will take place on June 22.

Resurrection

Wonder what resurrection is all about and why so many people think Easter is so important? Resurrection offers to all humanity the strength to go ahead and keep on after a defeat, a loss, sickness; the will to oppose all violence and injustice; to have the passion to work and pray for peace, to let the joy of Jesus act in yourself, around you and through you and it is the hope in your heart that nothing or no one can smother you and the desire to live fully in the hope that one day it will come true. Happy Easter everyone!

The Bible tells us, "Those who trust in the Lord for help will find their strength renewed. They will rise on wings like eagles; they will run and not get weary; they will walk and not grow weak," (Isaiah 40:31).



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United Church Women meet in Maxville



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Margo MacRae and I were among the 80 women who met on April 1 for the United Church Womens' Presbyterial meeting in Maxville United Church.

The delicious lunch was catered by the Maxville UCW members. Everyone learned with regret of the closure of the Kirk Hill United Church UCW branch. Any members of their group would be more than welcome to attend UCW meetings in Glen Sandfield.

Toastmasters

My report on the Toastmasters has been moved to the Alexandria column, see page 7.

Sunday services

Worship services are held each week in Glen Sandfield United Church at 10 a.m. and in East Hawkesbury United Church at 11:15 a.m.

Visitors are always welcome.

Learn more about Big Brothers/Big Sisters

The Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Cornwall and District will be holding an Information Night on April 28, 7 p.m. at the agency's office at 101 Third St. W., Cornwall.

Information will be provided on the regular one-to-one matching program, the Big Bunch Friendship program, the Couples for Kids program, and the In-School Mentoring program.

Anyone interested in finding out more about volunteering for one of the Big Brothers/Big Sisters programs is invited to attend.

The local agency is in need of volunteer Big Brothers and Big Sisters who can share a few hours a week as a friend to a child in need. At the present time, The Big Brothers and Big sisters of Cornwall and District has 59 children in Cornwall and SDG on the waiting list – 46 boys and 13 girls.

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Wine, cheese for Grits held May 9

The Glengarry-Prescott-Russell Federal Liberal Association will be holding its 18th Annual Wine and Cheese at the Embrun Recreation Centre, 6 Blais Street, Embrun, from 7 p.m. to midnight on May 9.

Local MPP Don Boudria, Minister of State and Government House Leader said it will be an entertaining evening in company of some of his Liberal colleagues.

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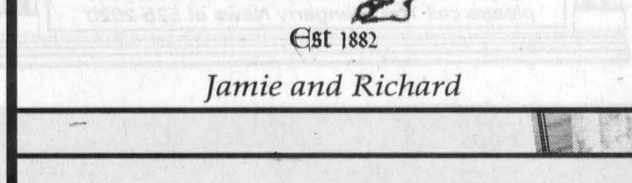

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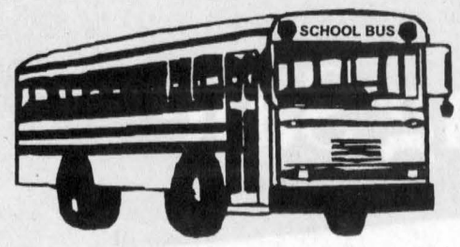

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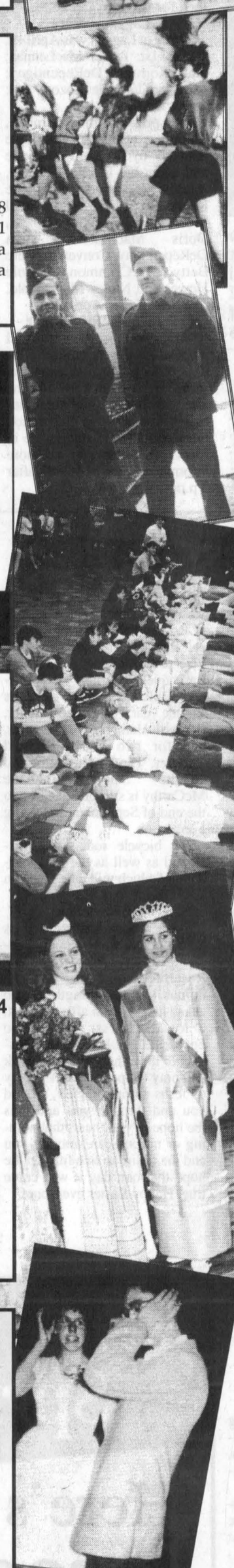

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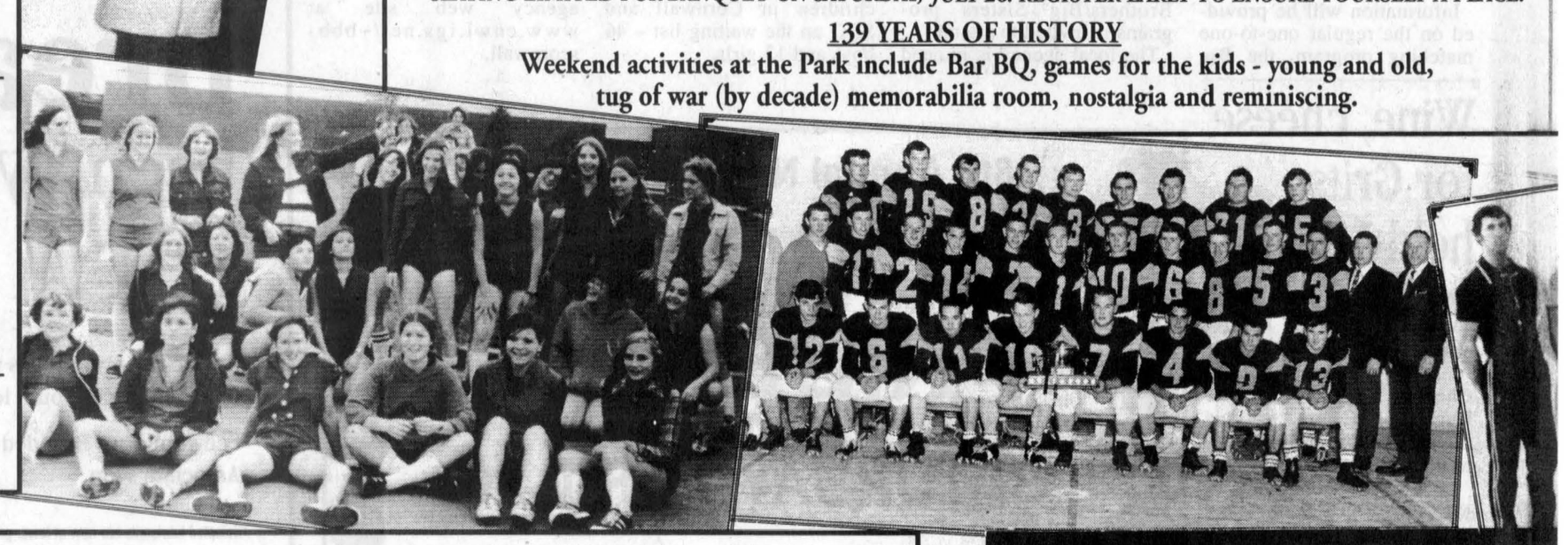

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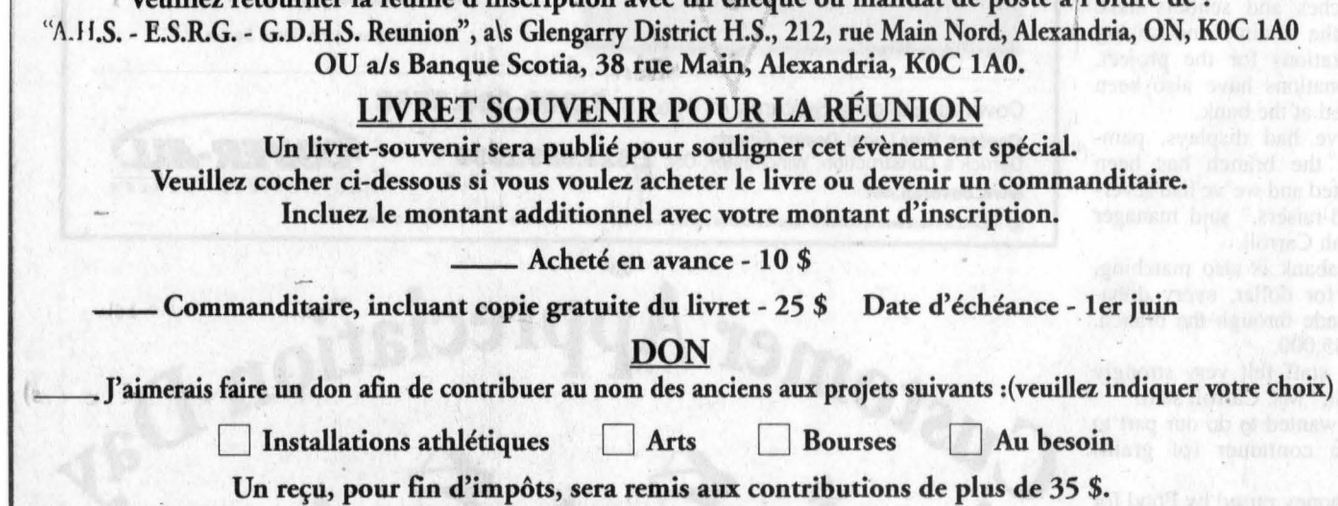





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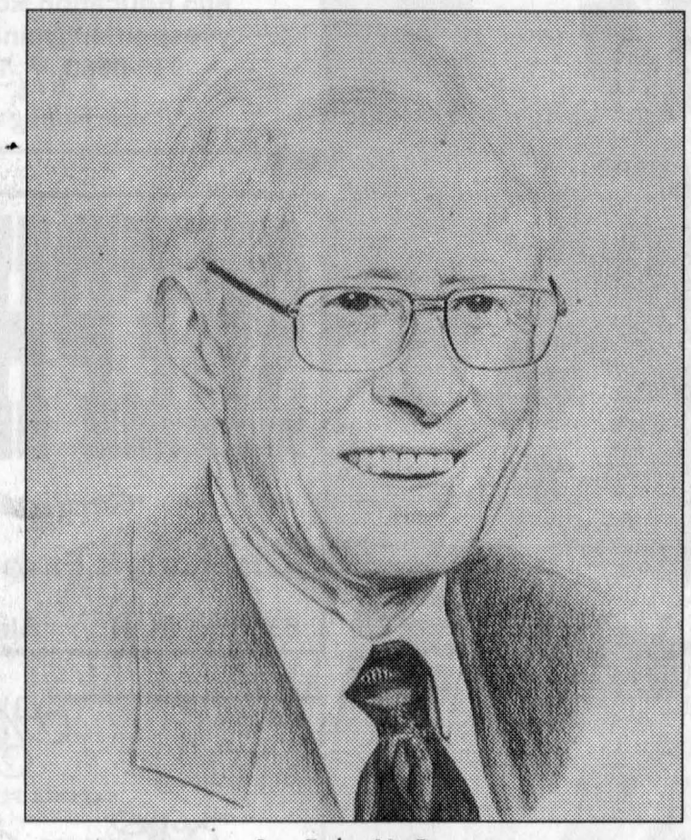
Inductee designed ground-breaking power take-out

This is the second and third in a series of profiles on the newest inductees to the Glengarry Agricultural Wall of Fame. The dinner and induction will be April 25 at Angus Gray Hall in Maxville.



Ivan Forbes MacRae



Agnes MacDonald Petrie

Ivan Forbes MacRae (1910 - 1999)

Ivan Forbes MacRae was born at Athol, Ontario on October 5, 1910. He attended local public and high school before enrolling at Queen's University. In 1934, he graduated from the Mechanical Engineer program with the highest thesis in his class.

After qualifying as a professional engineer, he joined the Cockshutt Plow Company in 1937 in Brantford, Ontario where he worked for 25 years.

Designed Cockshutt 30

He became Chief Engineer of the farm tractor division and in 1946 he designed and placed in production the now famous "Cockshutt 30", the only Canadian designed and made tractor of its day. He invented the transmission that would allow completely independent operation of the clutch and the power take off clutch and called it "Live Power Take-Off", the term is still used worldwide.

Impact worldwide

The impact of this design was felt not just locally and nationally, but in many countries around the world because the "Live Power Take-Off" enabled farmers to run secondary implements from the tractor engine. As it became clear that Ivan's design was revolutionizing farming around the world, other tractor companies soon followed.

It was not until later years that Ivan received recognition for his invention. In 1993 he was honoured by Queen's University and he presented a paper as part of the University's centennial of teaching Mechanical Engineering.

Receives recognition

In 1995, Ivan was recognized jointly by the Ontario Agricultural Museum and Canada Post in a ceremony which commemorated development in Canada, of significant agricultural machines; Ivan's Cockshutt 30 had been chosen for one of Canada's stamps.

For over 53 years, Ivan was an active member of the Society of Automotive Engineers, from whom he relieved the award of Honorary Lifetime Member. He was also instrumental in the compilation of engineering records for the Agricultural Museum at Milton.

Part of Tractors Exhibit

The recognition of Ivan's work continues even after his death. On February 27, 2002, the Canadian Agricultural Museum in Ottawa opened a new "Tractors Exhibit" in which the century-long story of the tractor was traced.

Among the ten tractors displayed, the "Cockshutt 30" was chosen because of the "Live Power Take-Off". Ivan was named one of the heroes in the accompanying brochure, "The Path of heroes".

Ivan MacRae died on May 1, 1999, and was buried in the St. Elmo Cemetery beside the church where he and his wife Hazel were married in 1945.

Agnes Petrie took part in many facets of the agricultural community

Agnes MacDonald Petrie (1933 -)

Agnes Petrie was raised and educated in Glengarry County. In 1952, she married John Petrie, of Bainsville, and began taking an active part in the family dairy operation. In 1958, she was chosen Glengarry Dairy Princess. The Petries have three children, and are the grandparents of seven, two of whom are the sixth generation to live on the Petrie Farmstead. Agnes has been a member of the Bainsville Women's Institute since 1952, and has held most of its offices, including president. She is currently chairperson of the education and cultural affairs committee. She has been district president of the Women's Institute, and has held office at the area level as well. She was a 4-H Homemaker Club leader for 14 years, and has also served on the Williamstown Fair Board.

Agnes is an Elder of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster, and is also a member of its choir. She is a past president of the ladies group and takes an active part in all aspects of church life.

Besides being a farming partner, Agnes worked off-farm for 20 years. She currently volunteers as a driver for the Canadian Cancer Society, and makes deliveries for Meals-On-Wheels. Agnes is a wonderful asset to her community. She is a devoted friend, helpful neighbor, as well as a fine cook and gracious hostess.

Scotiabank helps Foodgrains Bank

The Maxville Scotiabank branch has been doing its share during the last month to help the North Glengarry Food for Ethiopia campaign.

Churches and schools have been the main fund-raising organizations for the project, but donations have also been accepted at the bank.

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"The staff felt very strongly about it," Ms. Carroll said.

"We wanted to do our part to send a container (of grain) over."

All money raised by Food for Ethiopia efforts will be turned over to the Canadian Foodgrains Bank after Easter.

Various clubs electing officers

4-H NEWS
TRACY MYERS
874-1046

The signs of spring are certainly around us and this also means that many of our 4-H clubs are busy getting ready to hold their first meetings.

The North-Glengarry Junior Calf club held its first meeting last night to overview expectations of the club and to elect their club officers. This club will teach members how to look after and show a calf. It is also a great way to learn about the dairy industry and all of the great things that it has to offer! The theme of this year's club is "Taking care of heifers and dry cows". There is still room for new members if you are interested in joining. Contact Robert MacDonald at 525-3471.

The Rabbit Club will be meeting this Saturday. This date was rescheduled from April 5 due to bad weather. As well as electing club officers members will be building rabbit cages and learning about selecting the proper doe.

The South Glengarry Junior Calf Club will be having their first meeting on April 28. Topics to be covered, during this club, will include: Health and Housing of calves, Fitting and Showing, Judging and, of course, Showmanship – all very practical topics when learning how to train and show your calf. Contact Louise MacDonald for more information at 347-2910.

Other clubs available include the Glengarry Senior Calf Club (David MacMillan – 525-4968), Field Crops (Alex Ferguson – 347-1090) and Horse clubs (South – Beth Koggel – 347-2284 and North — Linda Lothian – 525-2503). Dates for these clubs will be announced in the near future.

Along with club meetings, there are lots of other camps and scholarships available to 4-H members. You are reminded to check out the 4-H website http://www.4-hontario.ca. This is a great site to meet new friends in the discussion group, and find out what is going on in other counties by visiting the county pages. The next deadline for applications is May 1.

Just a reminder, to all leaders, that there will be a meeting on April 24 at the Alexandria Restaurant (Pizzeria). This is an excellent opportunity to mingle with your fellow 4-H leaders and receive valuable updates and resources. Don't forget to mark the date on your calendar.

Here are the last two press reports for the vet club from Reuben Lindeman.

Reuben here with a press report for the vet club. This exciting week we learned about the male and female reproductive systems. Veterinarian Ingrid Bill also talked about how a pregnancy works in a single and a multiple as well as the problems that go with them. This was all concluded by a wonderful snack provided by the Koggels. Mrs. Bill announced that we should start working on our projects that need to be handed in at the end of the club. To end it all, the meeting was closed by our very polite president Grace Lindeman. The next meeting will be held at the Patrick's house to watch some movies including a birth and a castration of a dog.

The fourth vet club meeting was held at the Patrick's house in Glen Nevis. This meeting we saw the video tape of two operations commonly done in vet clinics: a spay and a neuter.

Our faithful vet and leader Ingrid Bill stood by the whole time explaining everything that was happening; down to the type of stitches they made, to closing up the incisions after the operations.

The snacks were provided by Margo Patrick. The next meeting will be held at the same place, same time, except one week later. The two youth leaders are asked to have their quizzes ready and Lindemans bring snacks. Until then, Reuben Lindeman.

Wishing everyone a very happy and safe Easter weekend. Yours in 4-H, Tracy Myers.

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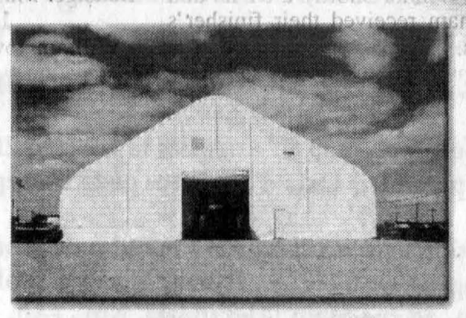
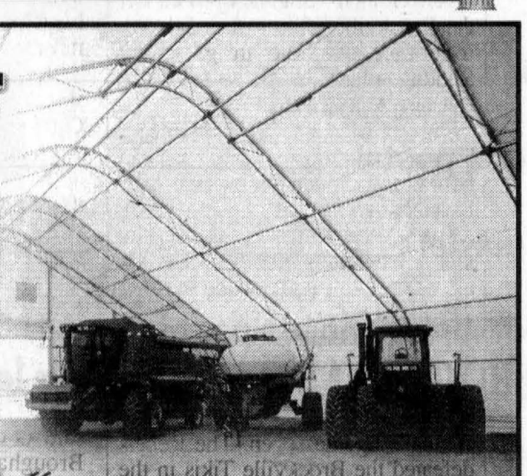
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Sports Briefs

Hockey meeting

The Alexandria District Minor Hockey Association will be holding their annual general meeting on April 28 at the Glengarry Sports Palace starting at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Soccer B champs

The B championship of the Glengarry Indoor Soccer League men's division was settled on March 24 at Char-Lan District High School.

After winning game one of the two game series by a 4-2 score, Glen Nevis was looking to beat Glen Sandfield again in game two.

Glen Sandfield came back to win the championship series however.

They scored a 3-1 win in regulation forcing an overtime session where the series would be decided.

Glen Sandfield almost won the series outright in regulation time but Glen Nevis' Mattias Mader scored in the dying seconds to tie the most goals two game final.

Dan MacPherson, Mark Laferriere and Robin Basara scored for Glen Sandfield in regulation.

In overtime Dan MacPherson beat Glen Nevis keeper Charles Cockerell for the win.

Junior B finals

The Ottawa West Golden Knights have repeated as Eastern Ontario Junior B Hockey League playoff champions.

The Golden Knights finished off the Brockville Tikis with a 2-1 win in double overtime in game six Sunday night in Ottawa at the Barbara Ann Scott Arena.

Former Alexandria Glens keeper Trevor Cunning was a big part in both of the Golden Knights back-to-back championships.

The Golden Knights took over the series winning game five and six after Brockville had tied the series at 2-2 with a 6-4 win in game four.

Ottawa responded in game five in Brockville with a 4-2 victory.

The Char-Lan Rebels lost to the Golden Knights in last year's junior B final in game seven. The Rebels defeated the Brockville Tikis in the Rideau-St. Lawrence division championship to reach the final.

Brockville defeated the Alexandria Glens this year to reach the finals.

Junior A finals

After an impressive run in the playoffs Green Valley native Rick Ladouceur's Ottawa Junior Senators run has come to an end.

The Nepean Raiders put the wraps on the Senators' season Sunday with a 2-1 victory in game five of the Central Junior A Hockey League championship series.

The Raiders won the series 4-1 with the victory.

After opening the final with a 3-2 victory on April 6, the Senators lost the next four games.

Nepean won the next three games of the series 3-1 on April 9, 6-3 on April 10 and 4-3 on April 12.

To reach the final the Senators won series against the Cornwall Colts and Cumberland Grads.

Both teams earned over 20 more points than the Senators in the regular season.

The Raiders and Colts, who will be hosting, will now look forward to the Fred Page Cup (eastern Ontario championship) competition which begins at the Cornwal Civic Complex on April 23. Lennoxville and Charlottetown will be representing Quebec and the Maritimes respectively.

Archery tourney

The Eastern Ontario Archers welcome all archery enthusiasts to their annual 3-D archery tournament to be held at the Glengarry Sports Palace this Saturday.

The tournament is a good opportunity to warm up for the outdoor season. Everyone is welcome and there will be plenty of door prizes.

For more information contact Tracy Myers at 874-1046 (evenings).

League needs team

The Atlantic men's Ball Hockey League is looking for one more team to compete in the 2003 season.

The team has attracted five teams already and wants to round the figure off to six.

If a team or individuals are interested in joining the league contact Jamie MacDonald at 525-2084 or Jeff Lapierre at 525-0351.

Conditions ideal for 30th annual river race

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

Over 350 people took advantage of the warm weather Sunday to participate in the 30th running of the Raisin River White Water Canoe Race.

187 canoes and kayaks took part in this year's event, that's up from 178 in last year's edition.

Dubbed the largest canoe race in the province, canoeists had a quick run of the course this year from St. Andrew's West to the finish line in Williamstown.

Water levels were a concern earlier in the week but thanks to a light snow on Tuesday and warm weather (which melted snow and frost) during the rest of the week, the water was running at a respectable 363 cubic feet per second.

On the Monday prior to the race the flow was registered at 200 cubic feet per second.

One of the race organizers said several participants were happy with the results.

"We like hearing that people are happy and several said they had a good day," said Josianne Sabourin.

"I went with (Raisin River Conservation Authority general manager Roger Houde) to the dam in Martintown a few days before the race and rocks that were showing then were not showing on Sunday."

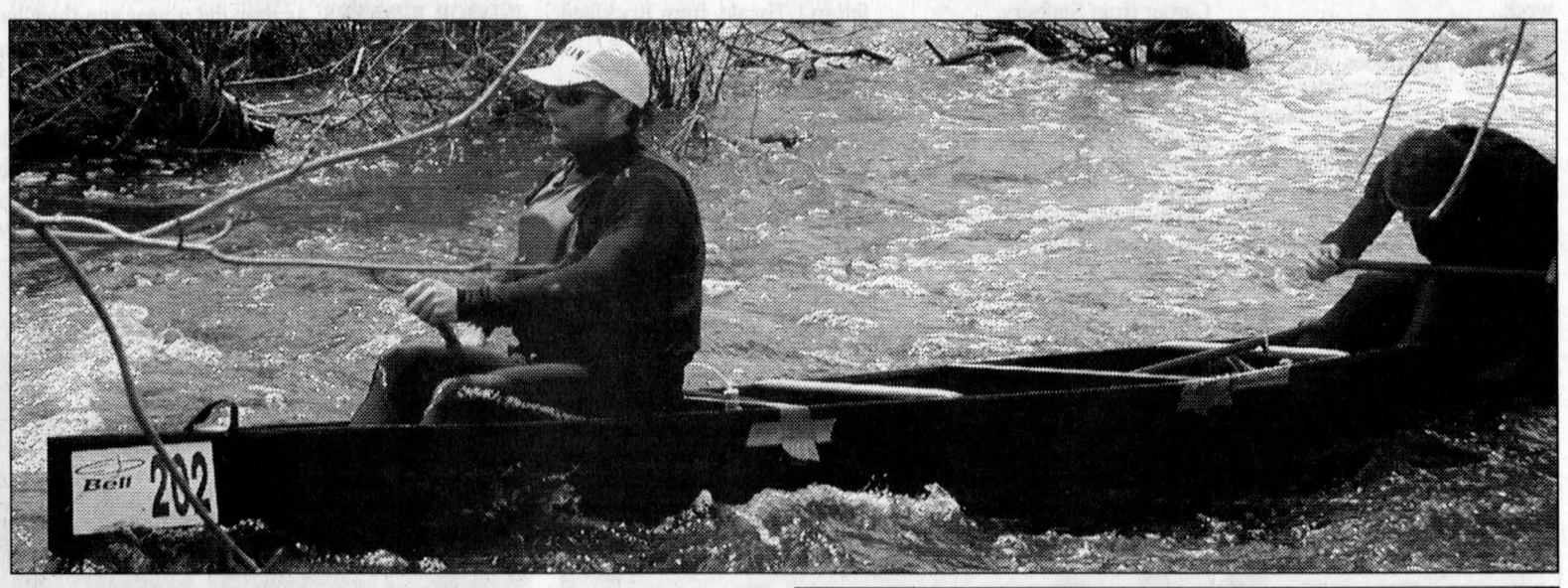
Sabourin added that she felt the good weather contributed to the number of paddlers registered because a few said it was a last minute decision to join the race.

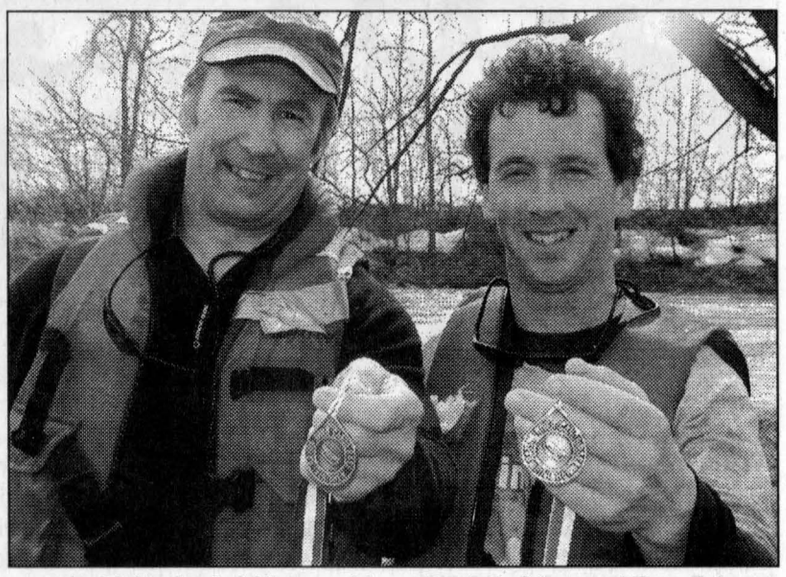
Among the participants of the race were Bainsville residents Glenn O'Connor and Rob Brougham who were teaming up for the first time.

The duo finished second in the men's recreational division (they were only one second behind the winner and likely would have won if not for a little slip-up at the Martintown dam) and had nothing but good comments about their day.

"We ran the rapids in Williamstown on Friday and we were running right on the bottom," said O'Connor shortly after he and Brougham received their finisher's medals.

"Today we could hardly see those rocks."





QUEBEC WINS AGAIN: For the second straight year a team from Quebec was the quickest to pass through the course of the Raisin River White Water Canoe Race. The #202 boat of Denis Berthiaume and Steve Lajoie (top photo) finished the course in a time of 2:21:38. Right photo: From left Rob Brougham and Glenn O'Connor show off their finisher's medals minutes after they completed the race. The Bainsville residents finished second in the men's recreational division.
TODD ANDERSON PHOTOS

Brougham said because the team was the first boat to enter the race there was more than just winning to take in.

"I found it was very peaceful out there. There were great blue herons, ducks and geese. Because we were the first boat out there wasn't as much traffic and it wasn't as hard to get through rapids."

If individuals are interested in purchasing a video tape of the race the RRCA filmed some of the action during the day.

Contact the RRCA at 938-3611.

Winner's circle

Perennial challengers in the pro division, Joey and Corey VanLoon from Martintown just missed out on the win as they were three minutes behind the Quebec team of Daniel Berthiaume and Steve Lajoie. The winners finished the race in 2:21:38.

Another Quebec team including Daniel Bissonneault and Rock Belanger finished third.

17 foot open

Williamstown's Bruno Major teamed up with L'Orignal's Pierre Pinard to take first place in a time of 2:37:03.

Alexandria's Yvon Ranger teamed up with Plattsburgh's Tom Decrason to finish second.

The Ottawa team of Rob Phillips and Doug Hollingsworth finished third.

Student (women)

Char-Lan District High School's team of Nicole Melnyk and Megan Reasbeck made the local fans proud as they won the division in a time of 4:19:48.

Student (men)

CLDHS was at it again in the men's division as Eric Lapointe and Lachlan MacDonald finished first in a time of 3:17:59.

A CCVS team of Kristian Povlot and Brandon Freeman finished second while Char-Lan's Trevor Bougie and Doug Winn finished third.

Student (mixed)

In the student mixed team an Alexandria team of Bernard St. Pierre (Le Relais) and Melissa Levac (Glengarry District High School) finished first in a time of 3:43:37. St. Joseph's of Cornwall won the high school challenge with 25 competitors.

Adult-youth recreational

Marc Belair and Kevin Belair (address not available) finished first in a time of 3:09:14.

Women recreational

Cornwall's Angela Martel and Liz McGillis finished first in a time of 3:39:44.

Moose Creek's Sylvia and Gaby Speck finished second in a time of 3:42:21.

Mixed recreational

Alexandria's Maurice and Denise Sauvé were the quickest through the course in a time of 2:52:16.

Denis Lefebvre and Terry Johnson (no address available) were second in a time of 2:57:04.

Men recreational

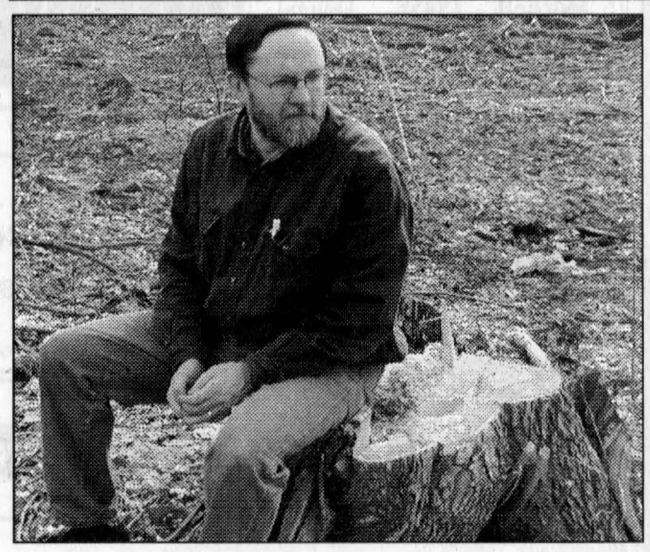
Les Cedres team of Eric Lessard and Pierre-Olivier Quesnel finished first in a time of 3:09:49.

Bainsville connection of Glenn O'Connor and Rob Brougham were second in 3:09:50.

Master

Williamstown Bruno Major and L'Orignal's Pierre Pinard in a time of 2:37:03 won the division.

For a complete list of participants with their times, see page 17.



PONDERING THE FUTURE: Dunvegan Recreation Association president Bob Linney sits on a stump left over from a clear cut of the forest surrounding the Dunvegan soccer field.
TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

Dunvegan soccer pitch expanding

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

The soccer field in Dunvegan will be expanding for the 2004 season and area soccer players won't have to dig through the forest to find loose balls anymore.

Thanks to Dunvegan farmer Josef Odermatt, who recently purchased the area covered in bush surrounding the field, soccer players in the North Glengarry village will now boast a field comparable to those in Alexandria and Lochiel.

Branded as one of the smaller fields used by senior and upper level minor league teams in the Glengarry Soccer League, the Dunvegan Recreation Association saw the opportunity to expand when Odermatt purchased the surrounding land.

Before any ideas of expansion could be fulfilled, the DRA had to get approval from NG council to rezone the land from agricultural to institutional. They did that a little over a month ago at the NG council meeting.

DRA president Bob Linney said the expansion isn't something the association ever expected to come to fruition.

"We learned that Mr. Odermatt purchased the adjacent farm and then he clear-cut the brush. We approached him and asked if he would help us out in expanding the field. The recreation association bought a portion of the land. We never thought there would be a chance to expand."

Odermatt said he was glad to help out.

"My own children play soccer on that field and the land goes on a bit of an angle there anyway. They asked me and I was glad to help out."

The expansion will see the field's length increase by 30 metres and the width by 15 metres. The original field was built in the early 1970s using the small portion of land that was available behind the church in Dunvegan.

Along with the expansion of the "senior" field, a micro field will be built as well. The plans for construction will see the land where the expansion takes place filled this June to be level with the current level of the field.

The land must sit through one frost (this winter) and the plan is to sod the field in 2004 where hopes are that the field will be ready sometime during the season.

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Glens GM takes job with Winchester Hawks

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

With success comes opportunity.

After winning the St. Lawrence Division championship this season, Alexandria Glens general manager and assistant coach Dominic Menard has drawn the attention of the Winchester Hawks who have hired Menard as the team's new head coach and general manager.

Menard was approached by the Hawks a couple of days after the Glens were eliminated from this year's playoffs by the Brockville Tikis and he took the weekend to mull over the offer.

He accepted and informed Glens owner Robert Lajoie of his decision last week.

Menard said leaving Alexandria was a tough decision.

"It's been great here. I loved it and definitely it was a tough decision to leave. Winning the championship is something I will never forget."

There were several factors why Menard accepted the job with the Hawks.

First of all the rink in Winchester is only five minutes from the Menard's home located in Morewood. That means he'll be close to his wife Barb, two-year-old daughter Joelle and another child on the way.

Second, Winchester is the place where the 32 year old skated four for seasons as a Hawk.



A GREAT YEAR: Alexandria Glens general manager and assistant coach Dominic Menard, pictured at left with the Boxing Day trophy, has agreed to taking over the head coaching and general manager positions for the Winchester Hawks for the 2003-04 season. Glens head coach Raymond Lavergne, centre with St. Lawrence division playoff championship trophy and assistant coach Simon Menard, with the St. Lawrence regular season championship trophy, have decided to return next season. The Glens handed out their annual awards Saturday night, see page 17.
KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

Third it gave Menard his chance at becoming a head coach in the Eastern Ontario Junior B Hockey League.

He's hoping to use some of the techniques he used from Glens head coach Raymond Lavergne this year during his tenure in Winchester.

"I learned quite a bit from Ray concerning relationships with players. It's different at this level than it is in minor hockey."

Before accepting the Glens job to start this season, Menard coached for three years with the Canterbury midget A team in South Ottawa.

Before that he spent three years with a midget B team, a year with a bantam team and a year with a peewee team, all in South Ottawa.

Now Menard is looking forward to his venture in his old stomping grounds.

"It's very exciting and it makes it a little more special because I know there's still people around who were there when I was playing. You've got to be excited to coach guys like Shawn Smail and Nik Paas."

While Menard likes the fact Winchester had a strong local flavour to the team this year, he said changes to the roster may occur.

"They had 17 local players this year but they also finished in last place. I think it's important to have a balance. I hope to use my links to players in my past."

Menard will be eagerly anticipating the release of next year's schedule to see when his first trip to Alexandria will be.

"It'll be very strange my first time coming to Alexandria. I want to thank the Glens' organization for my stay here."

Le Relais goes 2-1-0 at Franco-Ontarien tourney

BY TODD ANDERSON
Sports Editor

Le Relais' varsity hockey team just missed out on moving onto the medal round at the Franco-Ontarien hockey tournament held in Hamilton held last week.

Everything looked good for Le Relais Intrepides after the first day of competition last Wednesday but their medal hopes faded away with a loss and a tie the following day.

"We thought we had it after the first day," said Intrepides coach Hubert Gauthier about the team's prospects of moving on to the medal round.

"Other teams picked up though and we backed down. We dominated the first two games."

Champlain from Chelmford (just north of Sudbury) edged Le Relais and moved on to the next level by having the same record but receiving fewer penalties. In the Franco-Ontarien tournament points are subtracted for penalties received by teams.

The Intrepides opened the tournament with a one-sided victory of 9-3 over Macdonald Cartier from Sudbury.

Pat Decoste and Pierre Luc Legros each scored twice while Camil Sabourin, Patrice Brunet, J.R. Besner, André Sauvé and Roch Lebrun added singles, Lebrun also handed out five assists.

In their second game Le Relais did even better beating FT McEilligot 9-0.

Phil Richer scored twice and Decoste, Sabourin, Brunet, Sauvé, Lebrun and Kevin McDonell added singles. Brunet added four assists.

In their third game on Thursday Le Relais and Champlain played to a 0-0 draw.

That was the turning point of the tournament according to Gauthier.

"We dominated Champlain but their goaltender was very good. They moved on instead of us because they had less penalties."

Also on Thursday Le Relais fell to L'Escale, from Rockland by a 4-1 score.

Richer scored in the loss.

The Intrepides were also coached by Dr. Ghislain Marleau. Marleau had a busy time coaching as well as looking over injured players from Le Relais (Roch Lebrun, elbow and Luc Beauclair, wrist) as well as players from other teams.

Gauthier will now take many of the same players and put them through drills on the soccer field as the senior Le Relais team prepares for EOSSAA in May which will be hosted by Glengarry District High School with whom Le Relais shares its building.



INTREPIDES RETURN: Le Relais Intrepides returned Friday from the Franco-Ontarien hockey championship in Hamilton last week. Pictured front from left are: Dr. Ghislain Marleau (coach), Thomas St-Pierre, Camil Sabourin, Christian Decoste, Luc Beauclair, Eric Larocque, Matthew McDonald, Pierre-Luc Marleau and Jean Major. Second row: Hubert Gauthier (coach), Philippe Richer, Patrice Brunet, Julien Quesnel, Philippe Menard, Roch Beauclair, Andre Sauve, Kevin McDonell and Jean-Robert Besner. Absent from photo are: Patrick Decoste, Roch Lebrun, Pierre-Luc Legros and assistant coach Richard Lebrun.



INDOOR WINNERS: As they did a year ago the Glengarrian Pub picked up both the regular season and playoff championship of the Cornwall Indoor Soccer League's men's division one. Pictured front from left are: Dave Booyink, Jamie Ladouceur, Phil Lewis, Ryan MacMillan and Gary Lee. Back row: Kirk MacMillan, Blair MacMillan, Chris Smith, Mike Belmore, Scott MacDougall and D.A. MacMillan. Absent from photo are: Innes Fraser, Brian Cameron, Hugh Grant and Mike Lee. SUBMITTED PHOTO



LOCAL CONNECTIONS: Several hockey players from Glengarry move up to play AA hockey with the Seaway Valley Rapids annually. This year was no exception. Among the participants at the Rapids awards banquet held recently at the Cornwall Legion were from left minor peewee Stone McCauley, league president Mike Charbonneau and Joshua Lapierre. Charbonneau is an Alexandria native. Lapierre was among the players picking up an award Saturday night. Other winners included: atoms Jarrott MacDonald, Chad Galliott, Ricky Guillet and Sheldon Primeau; minor peewees Alex Bosse, Rod Archer and Adam Wensink; major peewees Matt Jacobs, Sean Rudy and Brett Michaud; major bantams Samuel Bosse, Derek Villeneuve and Nicholas Fillion and minor midgets Luc Beauclair, Cody Jacobs and Jordan Schaffer.

TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

Poulton wins competitive curling league with clutch shot

The A championship of the Glengarry Open Competitive Curling League came down to the last rock.

Jim Poulton, skip of the Brian Clinton rink, came through with a clutch shot to beat out a counter owned by opponent Colin Osborne.

Poulton's draw for two broke a $40 three-end carryover. Added to the $17 eighth end, Clinton's team picked up $57, lifting them to the overall title.

Also on Clinton's team were second Peter Bray and lead Jean Francois Meilleur.

Although pleased with his last shot, Poulton said an even harder draw in the seventh was just as important.

"Colin was lying one. I needed to sit on the pot, and thanks to some great sweeping we made it," he said.

That preserved a $26 skin for the eighth, which was blanked by Osborne.

Earlier, Clinton had built a $31 to $7 lead with second to fourth end skins after Osborne opened with a first-end skin.

Clinton's $88 victory catapults him way ahead of the next closest team.

Dan Peerenboom's rink squeezed out the B championship after defeating Mike Mayes $39 to $26.

Their match see-sawed back and forth with Mayes taking the first two skins, Peerenboom the next two.

Mayes jumped ahead again with a two-skin sixth, but Peerenboom bounced back with a $25 carryover in the eighth.

Peerenboom's total of $114 is far short of Clinton's $165. Mayes takes third with $101.

Ian Fraser also picked up a healthy haul.

He trounced Bernie MacCulloch $43 to $2.

Fourth place Fraser finishes with $96, jumping ahead of Osborne, who settles for $87. Sixth place MacCulloch concludes with $70.

Teams which did not qualify for the playoffs were Wayne Mitchell ($45), Dougal MacLeod ($44), Dany Beaulieu ($43) and Kirsty MacLeod ($42).



BADMINTON WINNERS: Char-Lan District High School can boast having two SDG champions in the sport of badminton this year. Senior Addison MacDonald is a regular winner in the sport as he claimed his third SDG championship. Junior Christina Julien was also a winner defeating teammate Callie MacDonald in the final. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTOS

Dunvegan Micro field set for 2005

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With the expansion two new lights will also be installed.

Because it's not as much of a priority right now because of registration numbers, the micro field is scheduled to be ready for 2005.

"The entire GSL is increasing by about 10 per cent every year and Dunvegan is increasing at the same rate," said Linney.

"Maxville is the highest increasing and with some spillover we should be able to take some with the new micro field."

Dunvegan will host over 2,000 registered players this year including three of seven new teams to join the women's tier II division.

The field is expected to be surveyed next week and then the DRA will plan on how and who to approach concerning the construction.

They hope to begin work in June.

Correction

Incorrect information appeared in last week's *The Glengarry News* concerning the Border Bowhunters 3-D Archery Club competition.

Pictured in the photo was Denise St. Denis.

Crusaders win Gaels tournament

The Char-Lan Crusaders won the high school girls' hockey tournament hosted by the Gael Force in Alexandria on April 4.

They started off on the right foot, winning their first game against Vankleek Hill Collegiate 4-2.

Scoring for the Crusaders were Kelsey Thomson with two, Cassandra Zoppas and Julianna Richard.

They continued their hot streak with another victory against North Grenville District High School with another 4-2 score.

Thomson with two, Zoppas and Mallory Wereley scored in the win.

With their two victories the Crusaders entered the A finals against host Glengarry District High School Gaels.

After 40 minutes of play the game was deadlocked at three.

The game entered a shootout and Thomson and Christina Julien scored in a 2-0 shootout win for Char-Lan.

Bobbi Lee Chatelaine turned away every Glengarry chance.

In regulation Mandy Rose, Thomson and Julien scored for the Crusaders while Mary Jane O'Shea netted all three for the Gaels.

The tournament ended a successful first season for both teams from GDHS and CLDHS.

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Limoges named Glens most valuable

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

It was little surprise to find out the big winner during the annual Glens awards banquet held Saturday night at the Glengarry Sports Palace.

After receiving the St. Lawrence division nod as league most valuable player, it was easy to choose the graduating goaltender as the team recipient as well.

Felix Limoges finished second in the division with a goals against average of 3.71 and played a lot more games than any other goaltender. He was clearly the backbone behind the Glens' St. Lawrence division regular season crown.

Limoges was also named a first team all-star for the division along with assistant coach and general manager Dominic Menard.

Named to the second all-star team were defenceman Francis Longtin along with coaches Raymond Lavergne and Simon Menard.

For the playoff MVP Limoges shared the award with Nicolas Ranger.

A late addition to the Glens from the junior A circuit, Ranger was a force on the blueline during the playoffs and was used in all situations. Maybe his strongest impression on the team though was his ability to exit his own zone successfully with a rush or crisp pass.

Like Limoges, Longtin is also graduating from junior B play this year. Despite playing his first year in Alexandria this year, the veteran of junior B hockey play was chosen as the team's best defenceman for the season.

Longtin was a constant hassler of the team's top forwards and also contributed with 12 goals and 34 points.

The Glens other graduating player is Ben Desnoyers.

What he lacks in size he makes up in heart. Considered a pesk throughout the league, Simon Langevin proved his worth to the Glens this year.

He finished as the team's top scorer with 15 goals and 53 points and also picked up the most dedicated award after playing through injuries in the playoffs and rarely missing a team function.

The award for rookie of the year was shared by two players. Forward Chris VanOverbeek and defenceman Patrick Dore both played a strong physical game for the Glens this year and should prove to be strong influences in the league for years to come.

The leadership award was given to Luc Lanthier.

The Glens' veteran really picked up his socks this season having a break-out year offensively and really clicking with linemates Dominic Decoeur and Jeff Lobb defensively.

Lanthier finished the year with 23 goals and 50 points while wearing the 'A' on his shirt as assistant captain.

The aforementioned Lobb was the winner of the team's sportsmanship and playing ability award. Lobb had only 40 penalty minutes this year and was a key faceoff man for the Glens all season. After a dedicated summer in the gym, the hard work paid off on the ice this winter.



GLENS AWARDS: After a thrilling 2002-03 it was time for the Alexandria Glens to hand out the hardware for individual achievements during their team banquet on Saturday at the Glengarry Sports Palace. Pictured front from left are: Felix Limoges, Simon Langevin, Jeff Lobb, Chris VanOverbeek and Pat Doré. Back row: Nicolas Ranger, Luc Lanthier and Francis Longtin.

KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

30th annual Raisin River White Water Race results

Pro class

1. Denis Berthiume and Steve Lajoie, 2:21:38; 2. Corey and Joey VanLoon, 2:24:54; 3. Daniel Boissonneault and Rock Belanger, 2:25:02; 4. Don and John Taylor, 3:32:15; 5. Denis Cornett and Jim Caldwell, 3:50:58

17' open

1. Bruno Major and Pierre Pinard, 2:37:03; 2. Tom Necrason and Yvon Ranger, 2:40:55; 3. Doug Holingsworth and Ron Phillips, 2:48:40; 4. John Doyle and Bruce Kennedy, 2:50:35; 5. Erik and Donna Peterson, 3:02:47; 6. Peter Lavalle and Roger Seguin, 3:07:08; 7. Thom Light and John Meek, 3:07:21; 8. Nicholas Dussault and Gabriel Cote, 3:10:46; 9. Philip Brameld and Michael Cooke, 3:14:18; 10. Carolyn Odecki and Brett Doll, 3:17:51; 11. Michael Bougie and Matthew Gordon, 3:19:46; 12. Roger Racine and Alain Dagenais, 3:30:10; 13. Glenn and Mark Forrester, 3:31:56; 14. Brad Hunt and Dale Brown, 3:54:12; 15. Kelly McKeegan and William Talbot, 4:00:10; 16. Mike Simpson, 2:59.10

Adult-youth

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DNF- Domenic and Andy Diaco, Daniel and Taylor Daigle

Men's recreational

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DNF- Joanthon McCourt and Justin McCourt, Adam Weight and Leon Tyrell, Keith McDonald and Vern Vourist, John Trakas and Ben Williams, Travis Dustin and Daniel Laferriere, Bradley Looyen and Neil Chenier, Kenzi Tyo and Chris Piette, Robbie Lariviere and Evan Lafave

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1. Maurice and Denise Sauve, 2:52:16; 2. Terry Johnson and Denis Lefebvre, 2:57:04; 3. Bill Pollock and Barbara Scott, 2:57:06; 4. Brian and Dena Gill, 3:03:00; 5. Gisele Gagnon and Claude Roux, 3:09:09; 6. Mark Smith and Tracey Ann Mearns, 3:23:10; 7. Vicky Groulx and Christopher Marris, 3:27:07; 8. Blake McDonell and Janet Sturrock, 3:29:53; 9. Egon Nickel and Maya El-Rayes, 3:32:17; 10. Carol MacLeod and B McCullough, 3:33:35; 11. Andre Lalande and Sara Harvey, 3:36:13: 12. Eric Groulx and Natalie Gravel-Groulx; 13. Lester Kovac and Tish Gibbs, 3:43:17; 14. Garaldine Barnett and Lynn Atkins, 3:45:52; 15. Mark Butzer and Victoria Williams, 3:47:35; 16. Daniel Lacombe and Christiane Millmann, 3:49:01; 17. Colin Eagles and Alyssa McDiarmid, 3:50:54; 18. Jack and Sheila Cadieux, 3:55:18; 19. Lynn-Marie Duhart and Stephen Claude, 3:58:15; 20. Bill and Carol Kennedy, 4:00:15; 21. Pierre-Paul and Judy Filion, 4:00:24; 22. Denis Levac and Jean Lalonde, 4:07:23; 23. Bill Chambre and Heather Gaudet, 4:16:11; 24. Wolf Schlesiger and Vanessa Stapleton, 4:16:46; 25. Don Avcoin and Kim Hewitt, 4:30:06; 26. Gerald Halpern and Fair Rapsey, 4:31:25; 27. Michael Whelan and Heegan Shla, 4:46:11.

DNF- Renee Lalande and Ian Butcher, Robbie McIntyre and Alan, Jennifer Toltesi and Scott Ledoux, Adrien Beaudin and Holly Anderson, Jessie Neill and Sherry Rand.

Women's recreational

1. Liz McGillis and Angela Martell, 3:39:44; 2. Silvia and Gaby Speck, 3:42:21; 3. Lise Durocher and Kelly Conroy, 3:51:40; 4. Danika Schlesiger and Tammy Cooper, 4:18:24; 5. Cathy and Bobbi Lee Chatelaine, 4:29:40; 6. Jenna Lafave and Laura McKay, 4:47:52.

DNF- Lori Lamarche and Terry Major, Tracy McLellan and Trisha Morin, Robin Flaro and Brenda Dingwall, Lucie Roy and Chantal Derouchie, Tracy Galloway and Peggy Campeau.

Men high school

1. Eric Lapointe and Lachlan McDonald, 3:17:59; 2. Kristian Pouliot and Brandon Freeman, 3:31:56; 3. Trevor Bougie and Doug Winn, 3:32:44; 4. Keith Gourlay and Adam Cross, 3:33:02; 5. Kyle Pierce and Patrick McLeod, 3:38:57; 6. Kris Lunan and David Gourley, 3:42:43; 7. Tiller Cowan and Robb Munroe, 3:45:48; 8. Nicholas Deshais and Rob Lowe, 3:48:14; 9. Jordan Clift and Ryan Delorme, 4:01:13; 10. Andrew Warden and Alexander McDonald, 4:02:46; 11. Cory Lalonde and Curtis Cholette, 4:08:32; 12. Stuart Whyte and Andrew Nicols, 4:17:43; 13. Tyler Bonneville and Michael Fisk, 4:22:06; 14. Chris Farrar and Andrew Degras, 4:43:06; 15. Dylan Pearson and Alex deWit, 5:19:05.

DNF- Steve Tillaart and Matt Godard, Robert Bourdeau and Michael Tapp, Patrick Sullivan and Michael Lafave, Justin McDonell and Justin Robert.

Women high school

1. Nicole Melnyk and Megan Reasbeck, 4:19:48; 2. Chelsea DeHaan and Cindy Heuston, 4:35:32; 3. Elena Kovalcikova and Susanne Messer, 5:01:13.

DNF- Wendy Hawkins and Veronika Heunter, Danielle Lalonde and Lisa Benoit.

Mixed high school

1. Bernard St. Pierre an d Melissa Levac, 3:43:37; 2. Jonathon Pilon and Stephanie Brager, 4:07:13; 3. Craig McCormick and Kim Blain, 4:53:25; 4. Nicholas McRae and Brianne Barnes, 4:56:13.

DNF- Katrina Jansen and Issac Bols

Kayaks

1. John Tillaart, 3:13:30; 2. Dave McAdo, 3:23:53; 3. John Gallo, 3:46:51; 4. Joel McIntyre, 3:46:55; 5. Todd Giroux, 3:48:27; 6. Michael Jans, 3:58:32; 7. Brian MacIntosh, 4:13:57; 8. Linda Currie, 4:20:47.

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Death Notice

CHARLEBOIS, Bernard–Passed away peacefully at home in Alexandria, Ontario on Saturday, April 5, 2003, lovingly surrounded by family. 16-1p

LEROUX, Simon–(former Casselman baker), Simon Leroux of Manoir Belcourt, Orleans, Ontario passed away on Tuesday, April 8, 2003 at the age of 82. He was the son of the late Adelard Leroux and Alma Fournier. He is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Rita (Henri); three children, daughters Denise (Roger Deschamps) of San Diego, Claudette (Marcel Francoeur) of Alexandria and son Rheal (Rachel Gauthier) of Ottawa. He also leaves behind six grandchildren: Julie, Luc, Chantal, Alain, Eric and Jean-Sebastien and eight great-granddaughters. Family and friends paid their respects at Maison Funeraire Racine, Robert and Gauthier, 180 Chemin Montreal, Vanier on Friday, April 11. The church service was held Saturday, April 12 at Eglise-St. Thomas d'Aquin, 1244 Kilborn Avenue, Ottawa.

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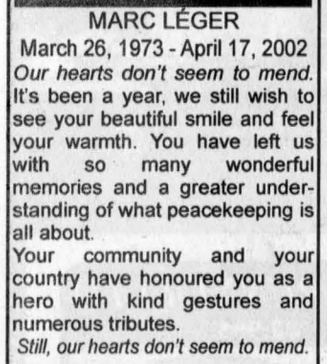

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My memories of you will be
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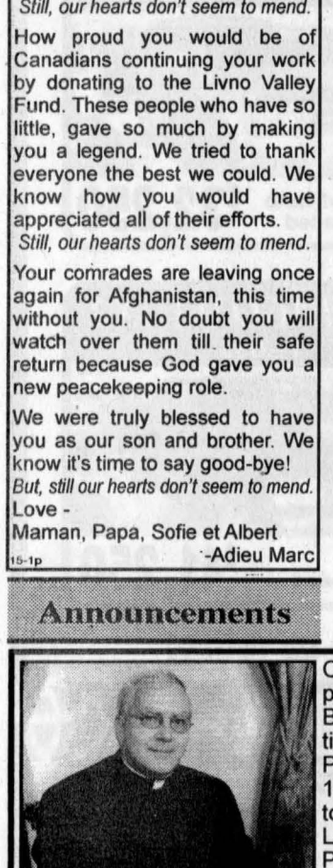
Deeply loved and sadly missed by your wife, Mavis Fletcher 16-1c



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Your comrades are leaving once again for Afghanistan, this time without you. No doubt you will watch over them till their safe return because God gave you a new peacekeeping role.
We were truly blessed to have you as our son and brother. We know it's time to say good-bye!
But, still our hearts don't seem to mend.
Love -
Maman, Papa, Sofie et Albert
-Adieu Marc
15-1p

Announcements

On behalf of myself and of all parishioners, I wish to offer our Best Wishes and Congratulations to Father Rémi Levac Pastor who is celebrating his 15th Anniversary of Ordination to priesthood. Father Rémi Levac is the son of Mrs. Imelda Poirier Levac and of Mr. Albert Levac who lived in Alexandria, Ontario. For eleven years Father Levac has been Pastor of the Bilingual Parish of Mary Queen of Peace in Pierrefonds, QC. 16-1p
Tu es Sacerdos in Aeternum
Brother Jocelyn Lamy c.f.s.

In Memoriam

McEwen–In loving memory of a dear husband Gordon Elbern who passed away April 7, 2001.
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Lonely are our hearts today
For the one we loved so dearly
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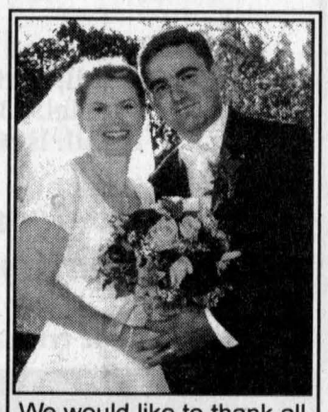
We think of him in silence
No eyes may see us weep
Many silent tears are shed
When others are asleep.
–Missed by Mae McEwen and family.
16-1p

Card of Thanks

CHISHOLM, Alex–The family of the late Alex Chisholm would like to express our sincere appreciation to relatives, friends and neighbours for their love and support during the loss of a husband, father and brother. Your visits, flowers, mass offerings, sympathy cards, and donations to the Parkinsons Foundation were greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Monseigneur Mcdougald for the lovely homily, the choir, mass servers, pallbearers, Munro & Morris Funeral Home and also the CWL for the lovely lunch. A sincere thank you to Dr. Shah, Dr. Ghaly and Hotel Dieu 4th floor south staff who were so good to Alex. Please accept this as a personal thank you to each and every one.
–The Chisholms. 16-1p



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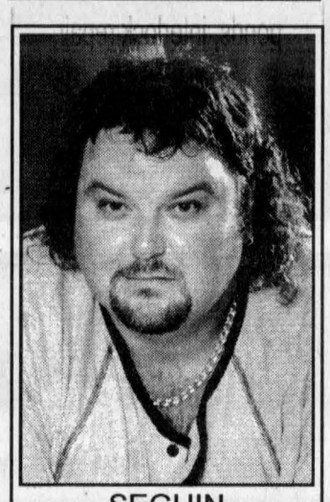

SEGUIN
I would like to thank family, friends and neighbours for acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy at the time of Andre's passing.
This support was very much appreciated. 16-1p
– Bruno Seguin and family.

Coming Events

RUMMAGE sale, United Church Hall, Kincardine St. E., Alexandria, Friday, April 25, 1-4pm; Saturday, April 26, 9-noon. Donations of books, collectibles, household items as well as clothing is appreciated. For info: Carol Baxter. Tel. 525-1939. 14-3p

VKH Lonely Hearts: Introduction Service, April calendar. Singles Dinner/Dance, (Ladies night), Saturday, April 19, 6:30pm, Cornwall Seaway Lion's Club, $7.50 ladies / $12.50 men. Fine dining - Hawkesbury CC, April 26, tickets $25 in advance. Latin, ballroom and country dance workshops every Wednesday, $10 group, $25 private. For directions, spring calendar, tickets, phone Louise or John. Tel. 363-4434. 16-1p

THE annual meeting of the Maxville Cemetery Board will be held on Tuesday, April 29 at 8:00pm at the Munro & Morris Funeral Home, Maxville. Plot holders will be welcomed to this meeting. 16-2c

Announcements

CONGRATULATIONS to Brian and Doanne on your recent marriage in the Dominican Republic. From all your friends and staff at Brian's Bar and Grill in Casselman. 16-1p

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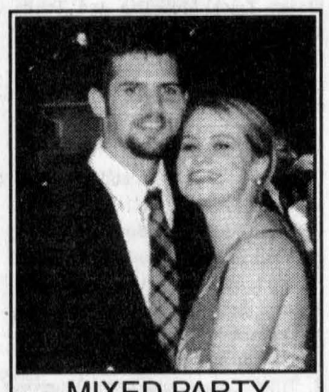

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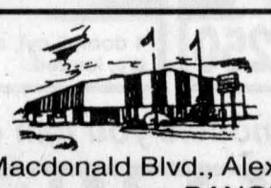

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Coming Events

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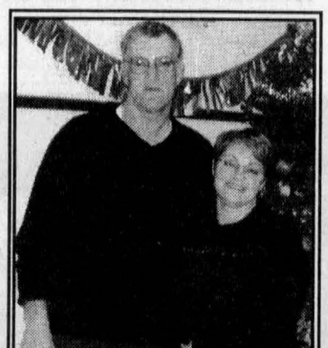

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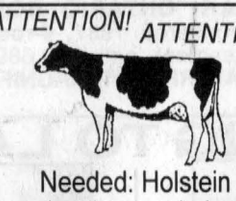

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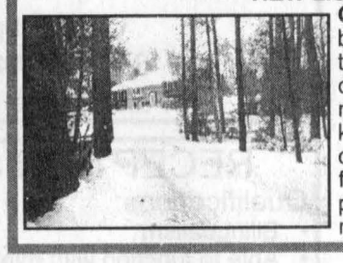

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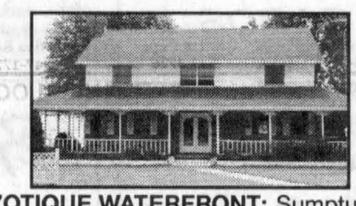

ST. ZOTIQUE WATERFRONT: Sumptuous 8-room renovated cottage, 3 brs, 2 bthrms, powder rm, 2 face fireplace, heat pump, spacious double garage with club house and room on 2nd floor, inground pool. 34,319 landscaped lot with 140' on Lake St. Francis. Finished waterfront. **MAGNIFICENT VIEW. EXCEPTIONAL SITE.**

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RIVIERE BEAUDETTE - WATERFRONT: Spacious 1998 8-rm cottage, 3 brs, finished basement, gas fireplace, hardwood floors, garage 21x21, shed, patio, swimming pool. Magnificent landscaped lot river leading to Lake St. Francis. **FINISHED WATERFRONT. IDEAL FOR NAUTICAL SPORT LOVER.**



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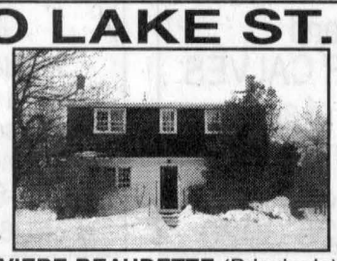
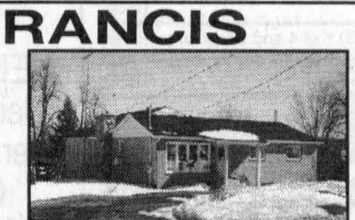


RIVIERE BEAUDETTE (Principale): 7-rm cottage, 4 brs, hardwood floor, fireplace. 87,747sf landscaped and fenced lot on river leading to Lake St. Francis. **PRICE: $119,900.**



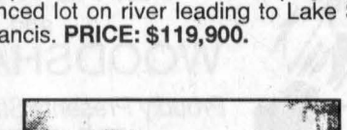
RIVIERE BEAUDETTE (Ste. Claire): **SPACIOUS** 7-rm brick bungalow, 2 brs, 2 bthrms, interior swimming pool 20x30, finished basement, double garage, summer house 25x35. 47,478sf lot with 220' frontage on river leading to Lake St. Francis.



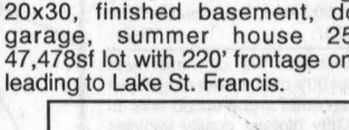
ST. ZOTIQUE (86th Ave): Stone and cannexel 8-rm bungalow 50x32, 4 brs, stone fireplace, cathedral ceiling, garage 18x33, shed. 32,516sf lot with right to keep a boat on water basin communicating to river leading to Lake St. Francis.



ST. ZOTIQUE: Renovated 6-rm bungalow, 2 brs, 2 bthrms, finished basement, heat pump, swimming pool, shed. 5,700sf lot on river leading to Lake St. Francis. **FINISHED WATERFRONT. PRICE REVISED: $117,900.**



WATERFRONT ST. ZOTIQUE (2nd Street): Renovated 5-rm bungalow, 2 brs, attached garage, patio. 9,000sf landscaped lot on river leading to Lake St. Francis, near the beach. **PRICE: $134,900.**



RIVIERE BEAUDETTE (Levac): 4½ furnished bungalow, 2 brs. 12,740sf lot with right-of-way to lake St. Francis. **PRICE: $49,900. VERY CLEAN!**



TRES ST. REDEMPTEUR (Near Mount Rigaud): 219 arpents wooded land with mature trees (maple, oak, giant pine). Deer and birds' paradise, 2 steams that run all year round, walking and horse riding trails. 1999 6-rm cottage, 4 brs, garage, hen house, shed and small stable in construction. Built in the middle of nature away from the road. White zoning with equestrian affectation.



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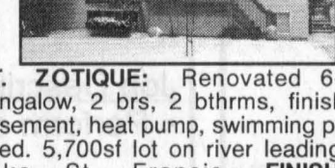
TRES ST. REDEMPTEUR (Martin): Spacious 1994 8-rm cottage, 3 brs, 2 bthrms, cathedral ceiling, hardwood floors, semi-finished basement, woodstove, garage, patio. 21,220sf landscaped lot on the Rigaud Mountain. **VERY INTIMATE!**



RIVIERE BEAUDETTE (Boucher): Renovated 3-rm bungalow with 1-br, swimming pool, large patio. 16,500sf lot. **RIGHT OF WAY TO LAKE ST. FRANCIS. VERY CLEAN! PRICE: $52,000.**



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TRES ST. REDEMPTEUR (St. Henri): Spacious 9-rm older cottage, 5 brs, beautiful woodwork, garage 20x40 with mezzanine. 53,820sf landscaped lot on the mountain with panoramic view of the valley.



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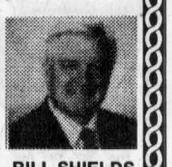

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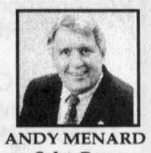

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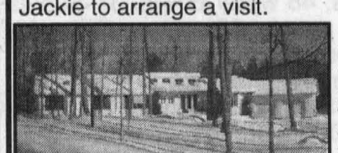
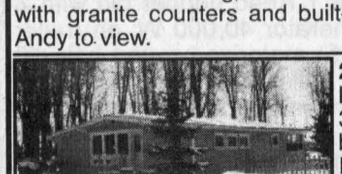


Lovely property right out of Homes & Gardens, peaceful and private location on 7 acres at the top of Chapel Road. 2800 sq ft bungalow with partly finished basement, 3 brs, 3 bathrms, great room with fireplace and cathedral ceiling, formal dining rm, huge country kitchen with granite counters and built-in appliances. **$289,900.** Call Andy to view.



2-BR BUNGALOW sitting on a large fenced-in lot 103'x154'. 3-season sunroom, large boathouse on creek leading to Lake St. Francis. All of this for **$79,500.** Call Diane for a showing.



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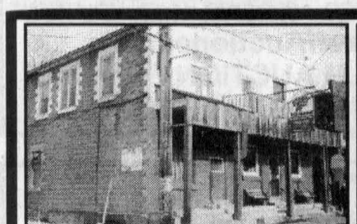

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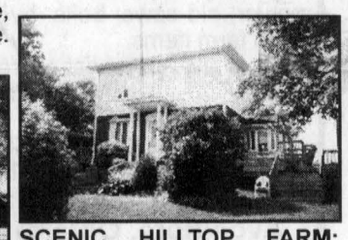
GREEN VALLEY - 4-br home, inground pool, oversize lot 125x200, on main street for a home business, has town sewers, excellent drilled well. Good storey and a half home, 6.5' basement, oil furnace. **$84,800.**

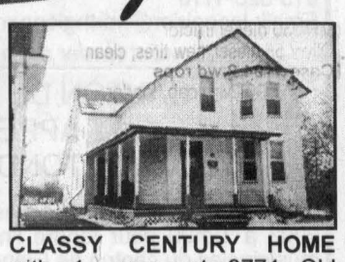
EXCELLENT FAMILY HOME in Glen Sandfield, east edge, hardwood floors, big front porch, 4 brs, all quite appealing, attached back shed and garage, approved septic, drilled well. **$63,800.**



SCENIC HILLTOP FARM: Magnificent impressive home, deluxe interior finish, all hardwood floors, new windows and roof, 4 brs. Series of decks. Big old barn. Granary has shop and storage. All on 56 acres. Located between Green Valley and Glen Roy. **$195,900.**



MAXVILLE: Attractive century home, several updates, bright and cheery, propane fireplace, 1400 sq. ft., move-in condition, well landscaped lot, trees 107x79. Forced air oil furnace. Located at 22 Robert St. **$108,800.**



CLASSY CENTURY HOME with 4 acres, at 3774 Old Orchard Rd, Apple Hill. Gorgeous century home, has character, many original features. Mostly wood floors which can be restored and revarnished. New oil furnace. Recent 200 amp panel. Good small barn for animals or as a shop. **$79,800.**

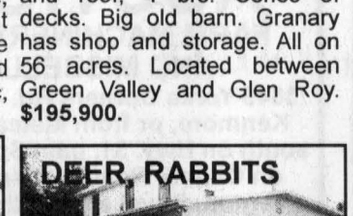


MAGNIFICENT CENTURY BRICK HOME, at corner of Tobin St. and Front St., Alexandria, 3,000 sf, all hardwood floors, original mouldings, fireplace in living rm, fireplace in master br, bay window, 200 amp breakers, new gas furnace. Huge garage shop 42x25 insulated. Lot 136x131. Call Maurice for details. **$148,800.**





REAL GOOD BUSINESS: Dalkeith grocery and convenience store. Excellent gross sales and perfect for a pleasant enterprising couple. 2800 sf of store area. Has 6/4a9 and other lotteries, groceries, confectionery, video rentals and the post office. Add your specialty to that. Huge high 9' basement that you can drive in. Only **$118,800.** For discussion, call Maurice.



HOBBY FARM: 56 acres, 3/4 in bush, lots of wild life, deer and a moose come behind home, 10 to 15 acres pasture, small barn, shed, Delisle River at north end, attractive large home. **$139,800.**

BAINSVILLE HOBBY FARM - Wonderful century home, 7 rooms all new windows, new kitchen cupboards and furnace. Attached 3 car garage and insulated shop. Fantastic large storage shed 40x100 and 40x70 (now rents out storage space, as an income). **$158,800.**

RAISIN RIVER: 100 feet frontage on navigable river to the St. Lawrence River. Has 240 ft. between road and river. Good summer cottage 47x20. One car garage. Tool shed 29x7 with electricity. Fantastic lot with mature trees. Priced to sell. **$88,800**

SUPERB FAMILY BUNGALOW: On Warina Road north of Monkland, raised so has large windows in finished basement, last 42" is wood above foundation. Recreation room has propane fireplace. You'll love this interior design and 3-brs and wood floors. Central air conditioning. Double garage or shop with attic. **$99,000.**

EXCELLENT FAMILY HOME in Glen Sandfield, east edge, hardwood floors, big front porch, 4 brs, all quite appealing, attached back shed and garage, approved septic, drilled well. **$63,800.**

CASH CROP FARM - 400 acres, 350 acres systematically tile drained, excellent fertile soil, on both sides of Dalkeith Road, just south of Dalkeith. Magnificent 5-br brick home. Medium sized barn, set up for 20 cows. Buy now for spring.

INDUSTRIAL 16,500 SQ. FT. - Great opportunity for a new industry in Alexandria, located just south of town on 9th Concession Road (Road 25). Large 16,500 sq. ft building on 3 acres land. Large septic for 50 employees installed in 1990. 600 amp 3 phase. Available immediately.

SPACE, COMMERCIAL, RESIDENCE: $49,500. 2,100 sf of commercial space on 1st floor needing updating. Living quarters upstairs needs repairs. Very sound brick building and sound stone foundation. Full basement. Located in downtown Dalkeith. **$49,500.**

NEW and RUSTIC: Owners dismantled an original log home and rebuilt it on new foundation plus an addition. Exceptional interior with exposed logs, hardwood floor, woodstove, exposed log ceiling. Upstairs has 3 brs. Full basement, oil heat. All built in 1998. Land 33 acres nature land, half in evergreen plantation. Located south of Maxville on 5th Conc. **$174,800.**

GOOD STARTER OR RETIREMENT HOME - ONLY $69,800. All updated home on quiet Rigaud Street, in Glen Robertson. Shows very nice. New roof. Gas furnace. Recent Farley Windows and doors. You'll flip over the work shop 57x15. Big yard 100x216, nicely landscaped and lawns.

185 ACRES LAND: Located on County Road 20, between Apple Hill and Martintown, at corner of Road 25, impressive mixed and maple forest, 90 acres fertile tillable soil, spring fed pond, many building sites. Plenty of deer pass here. Map of land from Maurice. **$174,000.**

BAINSVILLE HOBBY FARM - Wonderful century home, 7 rooms all new windows, new kitchen cupboards and furnace. Attached 3 car garage and insulated shop. Fantastic large storage shed 40x100 and 40x70 (now rents out storage space, as an income). **$158,800.**

CURRY HILL AREA on 3rd Conc, country log home on large lot of 111x348. Interior walls are exposed logs. Also exposed ceiling beams and original boards. Large master br. Very nice front sunroom of 22x8. Insulated garage shop. **$92,800.**

SPECIAL LOCATION: Just south of Brown House, just west of Hwy 34 on Maple Road, 1300 sf brick bungalow, spectacular oak kitchen cupboards with new built-in stove and oven and exhaust fan. Huge master br plus 2 more brs on first floor. Fully finished basement with pellet stove, recreation room is 31x15. Whirlpool and therapeutic bath. Lot 175x300. **$134,800.**

PRESTIGIOUS SPACIOUS HOME: 2,500 sq. ft. of executive quality, stone fireplace in cosy family room, bright modern kitchen, spiral staircase with entrance foyer, formal dining room, finished basement, new roof, in-ground pool. (Front St., Alexandria) New low price, ~~$169,000~~ **$149,000.**

I'm on duty from Monday to Saturday. When away from the office I can be reached on my cell phone or through my secretary at any time.

LAND AND LOTS
- Lakeshore Road, 170x300, **$17,800. (3 lots)**
- Marcoux Road, 24 acres treed. **$34,800.**
- Dorney 4 acres, south of tracks on 4th. **$16,800.**
- Johnson Road, St. Raphael's 125x241. **$17,800.**
- MacGregor Road, Williamstown 146x671. **$22,000.**
- South of Apple Hill, corner of Pine Ridge Road, 2 or 3 acres. **$24,800.**
- Marcoux Road, 380x315. Near trails. **$22,800.**
- Greenfield, 40 acres. Mostly treed. **$34,000.**
- Beaupre Road, 3.8 acres. **$17,800.**
- Monkland, Cumming Rd, 3.7 acs. **$13,800.**
- Glen Robertson, 12 acres pond. **$29,900.**
- East of Alexandria, 23 acres evergreens. **$24,900.**
- Glen Nevis, 105x415, south of church. **$12,800.**
- Glen Nevis on Beaudette River, 1.8 acres. **$19,800.**
- Curry Hill, 3 lots of 203x447. **$21,500.**
- **Others, call Maurice Sauve.**

THINKING OF SELLING:
ASK MAURICE TO VISIT YOUR PROPERTY AND DISCUSS ITS VALUE AND SALES STRATEGY

URGENTLY NEEDED
1 - Bungalows in Alexandria
2 - Country homes with 5 to 10 acres

SANDY HILL STABLES
Horseback Riding and Equestrian Facility
528-4789

ATTENTION!!!

• Alexandria •
• Glen Robertson •
• Martintown •
• Moose Creek •

An incorrect 1-800 number appears in your area listings in the 2002-2003 Glengarry Telephone Directory for

the co-operators
A Better Place For You™
Alexandria Insurance Inc.
St. George Street W., Alexandria

The correct number is 1-800-641-4405
For more information check their ad on page 9 of the directory.

The Glengarry News
PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT has a new email address:
production@glengarrynews.ca

Notice to Creditors

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
All persons having claims against the estate of Rosemary Danaher, late of Bainsville, Ontario, who died on or about January 17, 2003, are hereby notified to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before May 7, 2003, immediately after which date the assets of the Deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which the Estate Trustee(s) shall have notice.

PAUL D. SYRDUK
Barristers & Solicitors
10 Oak St., Box 9
Lancaster, Ontario
K0C 1N0
Solicitor for the Estate. 16-3c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel Gibson, late of Lancaster, Ontario, who died on or about February 19, 2003, are hereby notified to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before May 7, 2003, immediately after which date the assets of the Deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which the Estate Trustee(s) shall have notice.

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Auctions/Notices

UNITED COUNTIES OF STORMONT DUNDAS AND GLENGARRY
VARIOUS TENDERS AND QUOTATIONS

Sealed tenders and quotations, submitted on forms and in envelopes provided by the S.D.&G. Roads Department will be received by the undersigned until

11:00 am, local item, on TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2003

for:
(1) SEEDING AND MULCHING at various sites along County roads;
(2) BRUSH CLEARING at various sites along County roads;
(3) DITCHING - Quotation to perform ditching operations along County roadsides

Information to bidders, specifications and forms for the above may be obtained at the office of the undersigned.

Please telephone (1-613-932-1515; ext. 209) in advance to assure availability of individual tender documents.

Lowest, or any, tender not necessarily accepted.

S.D.&G. Roads Dept.
26 Pitt Street, Suite 223, Cornwall, On. K6J 3P2 16-1c

VANRIDGE HOLSTEIN DISPERSAL

Hugh Fawcett Sale Arena, Winchester, Ont.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 12 noon

Herd of Roger VanDusen, Mallorytown, Ont. 40 milk cows sell including: 7 - Good young fresh OUTSIDES. SOME FEATURES: EVEN - G.P. 2nd calf OUTSIDE sells fresh from a G.P. Rudolph then VG - 88 Blackstar Eva; then 3 gen. EX.
KEYNOTE - OUTSIDE 2 yr. old from EX. STORM projected at 1 yr. 225-215-228 and due Oct. to L'Heros.
KLEO - OUTSIDE from VG-88 Broker sister to EX. Storm.
MIRAGE from VG Prelude then 88 pt Blackstar then 3 gen. EX. sells due at sale item to L'Heros.
ALSO SELLING - 30 head from another herd downsizing.
SOME CONSIGNMENTS BEING ACCEPTED
CATALOGUES ONLINE
Hugh Fawcett Auctions Inc.
Tel. 613-774-3363 • Fax 613-774-5537
Check out our new web site: hughfawcettauctions.com
Email address - info@hughfawcettauctions.com 16-2c

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GLENGARRY
TENDERS
GRASS CUTTING

Tenders will be received by the undersigned on or before 12:00 pm (noon) Friday, April 25, 2003 for grass cutting for all municipal properties within the Township of North Glengarry.

Interested bidders may pick up the tender documents at the Township Office, 90 Main Street South, Alexandria, Ontario, starting on Tuesday, April 15, 2003

Tenders will be opened at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 25, 2003.

Leo Poirier
Clerk-Treasurer
Township of North Glengarry
613-525-1110
Email: leopoirier@northglengarry.com

Lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

CANTON DE GLENGARRY NORD
APPEL D'OFFRES
TONDRE L'HERBE

Les soumissions seront reçues avant ou le vendredi 25 avril 2003 à 12h00 pour tondre l'herbe sur toutes les propriétés municipales du canton de Glengarry nord.

Les documents de soumissions et autres renseignements peuvent être obtenus à l'édifice municipal au 90 rue Main, Alexandria, Ontario, dès le mardi 15 avril 2003.

Les soumissions seront ouvertes à 13h00 le vendredi 25 avril 2003.

Leo Poirier
Greffier-trésorier
Canton de Glengarry nord
613-525-1110
Courriel: leopoirier@northglengarry.com

Le canton de Glengarry nord ne s'engage à accepter ni la plus basse ni aucune des soumissions. 15-2c

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GLENGARRY
NOTICE – OUTDOOR FIRES
Municipal Bylaws state that:

(a) no person shall kindle, maintain, or assist in maintaining any bonfire, exposed fire or a fire within a drum, vessel, incinerator, cast iron fire pot, outdoor fireplace, other container for burning paper, straw, shavings, excelsior, dry grass or leaves or any other refuse or rubbish within the limits of any town, village of hamlet within the Township of North Glengarry. Any person convicted of a breach of the provisions of this Bylaw, shall be forfeited and shall pay at the discretion of the convicting magistrate a penalty not exceeding $1000.00 for each offence (exclusive of costs).

(b) fires may be set out of doors for the purpose of burning rubbish and grass in the Kenyon and Lochiel Wards only, between the hours of 9:00 am and 3 pm.

In the LOCHIEL WARD if you wish to burn rubbish you must be 50 yards from any buildings.

If you are contemplating setting an outdoor fire for the purpose of burning rubbish and grass, we would ask that you contact your district fire department before starting.

PLEASE NOTE that if the services of a fire brigade are required to control or extinguish a fire set in the open air, the person setting said fire shall be responsible for paying the full cost of the services of the fire brigade.

With the onset of dry weather, you would be advised to exercise extreme caution. Please govern yourself accordingly.

ALEXANDRIA T.A.S. at 525-1105
BY ORDER OF COUNCIL
Township of North Glengarry • 525-1110

CANTON DE GLENGARRY NORD
AVIS - RESTRICTIONS RELATIVES AUX FEUX EN PLEIN AIR
Les règlements municipaux spécifient :

(a) qu'il est interdit à toute personne d'allumer, entretenir ou assister à maintenir aucun feu de joie, feu ouvert ou feu dans un baril, récipient, incinérateur, bassin en fonte, foyer extérieur, autre récipient pour brûler du papier, de la paille, des copeaux, du matériel de rembourrage, des herbes sèches ou des feuilles ou tout autre déchet ou ordure dans les limites d'une ville, village ou hameau dans le canton de Glengarry nord. Toute personne qui commet une infraction à cause de violation des mesures prises par ce règlement, sera pénalisée et sera imposée, à la discrétion du magistrat, une sanction ne dépassant pas 1000.00$ pour chaque infraction (excluant les coûts).

(b) que dans les quartiers de Kenyon et de Lochiel seulement, les feux peuvent être allumés en plein air pour brûler les débris et d'herbe entre 9 heures et 15 heures.

Dans LE QUARTIER DE LOCHIEL - si vous désirez brûler des débris, vous devez être à 50 verges des bâtiments.

Si vous avez l'intention de faire un feu en plein air pour brûler des débris ou de l'herbe, nous vous demandons d'avertir, avant de débuter, le département de protection des incendies de votre district.

S.V.P. À NOTER - Si les services de pompiers sont nécessaires pour contrôler ou éteindre un feu en plein air, la personne qui a allumé le feu sera responsable de payer au complet les services encourus.

Avec l'approche de temps sec, vous êtes avisés d'agir avec grande prudence et suivre les règlements municipaux concernant les "FEUX EN PLEIN AIR."

APPELEZ ALEXANDRIA T.A.S. au 525-1105
ORDONNANCE DU CONSEIL
Canton de Glengarry nord • 525-1110 16-1c

REAL ESTATE AUCTION

at 209 Third St. E., Cornwall

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 11 am Sharp!

TO BE SOLD ON SITE: SMALL HOUSE in a handy downtown location. Past uses include business office, neighbourhood convenience store, residence.
LOTS OF POTENTIAL - FA oil heat, central air cond, surveyed lot 30'x90.
This unique property WILL BE SOLD subject ONLY to a minimum bid of $10,000.
TERMS: $1,000 deposit, balance due on or before May 30/03.

OPEN HOUSE - MONDAY, APRIL 21 - 1 to 3 p.m.

Realty Broker/Auctioneer
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AUCTION SALE

FARM EQUIPMENT
AT THE FARM OF REGENT VILLENEUVE
One mile north of Maxville and one mile east

SATURDAY, APRIL 19 at 12 noon

Machinery: Case IH 685 tractor, cab, air, only 3233 hrs, looks like new; Ford 4610 tractor, only 2000 hrs with Ford front-end loader, with 2 buckets; IH 5000 swather, diesel, 12' cut, cab, air; NH auto bale wagon, 105 bale; NH 316 baler, small square; NH 634 round baler, belt type; Little Giant bale elevator, 36'; Arps 720 backhoe, 3 pth; Rhino blade, 7', 3 pth; chain harrows, 16'; J&M grain box, on 10-ton wagon; pony harrows, 24'; NH gravity box on 10-ton wagon; land roller, 3 drum; scoop, 3 pth; cement mixer; fertilizer spreader, 3 pth; bale wagon, 25' on 10-ton wagon, all steel; Allied snowblower, 7'; IH wheel disc, 12'; IH 5100 seed drill, 21-run with grass seed box; AC 2000 semi-mount plow, 3-furrow, auto reset; General generator, 30 kw to 60 kw surge, pto; GW sprayer, 3 pth; small livestock trailer; extension ladder; hay conveyor, 100', mow; bale forks; 700 bales of hay; pipe line milker, with pumps, sink, line and units; grain auger; milking cart; barn fan; large hay tarp; steel fence posts; safety lights; lawnmower; old saws; bolts; hydraulic jacks; plus a few other small farm items.
Owners and Auctioneer not responsible for loss or accidents.
FARM HAS BEEN SOLD.
PROPRIETOR: REGENT VILLENEUVE, 613-764-0914
Terms: Cash or Cheque with proper ID.
NOTE: Only 15 minutes of small items.
AUCTIONEER: MURRAY BLAIR
Avonmore, Ontario Phone: 613-346-5568 16-1c

AUCTION SALE

FARM MACHINERY, HOG EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

3649 Yorks Corners Rd. – 2 miles straight south of Kenmore, or from Metcalfe Corner travel straight south on Hwy. 31, past Springhill Cemetery, turn left on County Road 4 (Marvelville Rd.) just north of Vernon, travel east to the 3rd crossroad which is Yorks Corners Road, turn left and travel north to the second farm on the right. Watch for auction signs.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26 at 10 a.m.

Having sold our farm the following will be offered for sale: Allis Chalmers 7020 tractor w/ new Allied loader; John Deere 4430 tractor w/ cab; EBRO 270 diesel tractor; IH 1620 combine w/ 15' 1020 flex head and 843 corn head, 4 row; 23' Allis Chalmers #2300 cultivator; Easy-On cultivator, 17' w/double basket and harrows; Row –crop cultivator, 8 row; Case IH # 183 cultivator, 4 row; Easy-On set of discs, 18', folding wings; Kongslilde plow, semi-mounted, 5 furrow, 12" to 16" adjustable, spring reset; Case plow, 6 furrow, 20" bottoms, semi-mounted, spring reset; JD 7000 planter, 6 row, set up for no-till, w/bean cups and liquid fertilizer; MF 424 18 run seed drill w/ double disc openers and press wheels, grass seed box; 3 gravity grain wagons, 6 ton capacity each; Charriot self-unloading grain buggy, 250 bus.; White 22' sprayer w/ 200 gal. tank; 2 Brandt 55' grain augers; Allied 8" x 61' grain auger; chain harrows, 12'; Foam marker system for sprayer; MF # 12 baler; MF # 925 haybine; MF mower, 3 pth; Pipe hay conveyor, 30'; Dion N-14 forage blower w/ pipes; Gleaner 20' pipe reel w/ fingers; set of dual wheels, 20.8 x 38; snow blower, 8' 3pth; flat hay wagon; 1980 Ford F350 truck, 1 ton, flat deck, as is; 500 gallon plastic storage tank, fert.; 100 gallon tank to mount on tractor or planter; cement mixer; suitcase tractor weights; Wizard riding lawn mower; bean roaster, as is; HOG EQUIPMENT: Farmatic mix mill, 7.5 hp, 3 yrs. old; 2 hopper feed bins, 8 ton and 12 ton; 2 flex augers, 30' and 50'; 2 steel augers, 10' and 25'; 200' auger feed system/drop spouts; Flygt 8 kw submersible manure pump/ 3- phase adapter; Reid portable hog scales, 3 yrs. old; 50 B.S.M. dry sow stalls; 12 kg Johnston farrowing crates; 4 B.S.M. floors for farrowing crates; weaner deck flooring, barn type and plastic slats; 15 Osborne big wheel finishing feeders; 7 stainless steel feeders and drinkers; 3 Osborne weaner feeders; stainless steel piping for nipple drinkers for grower pigs; 25 6' gates for finishing pigs; 16 steel pig partitions w/ posts; 25 sheets of 3' x 6' plastic; pressure washer; 200' of piping w/ sprinklers every 8' with controller; 3 B.S.M. thermostat controllers; B.S.M. fans, 2-30", 9-18", 4-12", 2-8"; 2 45000 BTU propane heaters; 2 feed carts, many unlisted items.
Terms of Sale – Cash or Cheque with Proper ID
PROP: Cornel and Gina Hendrikx – (613) 821-3185
Owner and auctioneers not responsible for accidents.

Auctioneers:
JAMES and HILL AUCTION SERVICE LTD.
Carson Hill 613-821-2946 **Stewart James 613-445-3269**
NOTE: Hog Equipment and Misc. to sell first with machinery to follow. Refreshments available. 16-1c

AUCTION SALE

FOR THE ESTATE OF GRACE WALDIE
207 Chateauguay St, Huntingdon, Que

SATURDAY, MAY 3 at 9 am

Old furniture, including 2 old cupboards; collectibles; old Marline metal train with cattle car, dump car, caboose; old Lowney's chocolate bar semi trailer; old kids' games; old horse equipment including a McClaughlin buggy, fair shape; 4 old wooden spoke wagon wheels; milk cans; whipple trees; old milk sleigh; old Willis Knight radiator; old McCormick Deering horse plow WO 308 bought new in 1940. *Other antique items too numerous to mention. Details on website w/photos.*
TERMS: Cash or cheque

RANDALL FINNEGAN
BILINGUAL AUCTIONEER
Ste. Agnes De Dundee
Tel. 450-264-3653 16-1c

Theresa E. Taylor & Associates Auctioneering

Antique & Collectible AUCTION

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 10 am

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL, GLEN WALTER

ANTIQUES and FURNITURE: Primitive Cradle, Feed Dolly, Child Sleigh, Gramophone, Tea Trolley, Parlour Tables/Chairs, Ball/Claw Piano Stool, Earthenware, Stereoscope, LAMPS: Bridge, Coal Oil, Quilt Stands, Rattan, Rocker, Singer Sewing Machine, Stanley Tools, Pine Tool Boxes. CHINA, GLASS and METALS: Moorcroft, Royal Winton Chintz, Royal Copley, Wedgwood, Maling, Limoges, Royal Doulton, Ridgeway, Nippon, Transfer ware, Flow Blue, Tobies, Geisha Girl, Carleton Ware, Majolica, Paragon, Vaseline Op., Fitz and Floyd, Murano Cranberry, Art Glass, Milk, Crystal, Cut, Press and Depression, Goofus, Carnival, Bristol, Cookie Jars, German Silver Goblets, S.P. Tea Service, Brass. TOYS and COLLECTIBLES: Black Memorabilia, Tobacciana, Royalty, Decoys, Fishing Tackle, Vintage Boat Motor, Lg. Anchor, Wooden Airplane Propeller, Retro Stainless Steel Milking Machine, Radios, Fan, Beaver Heater, Dolls, Tin Toys, Marbles, Elvis, Rolling Stones Records, Postcards, Military Badges, SPORTS MEMORABILIA: Tin Advertising Signs. JEWELLERY and TIMEPIECES: Gold, Silver, CLOCKS: Pequegnats, New Haven, Ansomia, Waterbury, Enfield, Seth Thomas, Gilbert, Carriage, Pocket Watches, Hair Combs, Jeweler Lathe, Demagnetizer, Watch Maker Cabinet /Press. ART, BOOKS: Gwendalen Davies, Ted Sonne, Prints, 1950-1952 Locomotive Cyclopedia, Hard Covers, Reference Books. CLOTHING, LINEN, TEXTILES: Victorian and Retro, Quilts, Hat Boxes, Passementerie, Jet Buttons, Mannequin. MISC: Metal Detector, Cardex Library, Racing Pigeon Cage, B/L Microscope, Berger Transit.
FREE SEMINAR: Thurs, April 17 at 7 pm by Allan Symons, Curator of the Canadian Clock Museum. Presentation on Pequeqnats and other Canadian Clocks.
TERMS: Cash, Visa, Mastercard, Interac, or Acceptable cheque.
Canteen. Partial Listing. 400 Lots.
Viewing at 8:30 AM. • Inquires Welcome
Check Website for photos and last minute additions.

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AUCTION SALE

JEAN & PIERRE BRABANT
932 Conc. 7, St-Bernardin, Ont., Prescott Cty.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22 at 10 a.m.

COMPLETE HOLSTEIN HERD DISPERSAL
TO BE SOLD: A GOOD YOUNG HERD.
106 head grade Holsteins including 84 cows. 13 1st lactation, 16 second calf. Few are fresh and others due soon. 3 heifers due soon. 24 yearling heifers. 14 nice heifer calves. 1 Holstein bull, 2 yrs. old.
N.B. A.I. used since 10 years. 8 C.C. 6 month average 300.
SIRES USED: Classic - Top Gun - Pacific Red
TRACTORS: Maxxum Case Int. 5240, 4x4, cab, air, 100 hp, 14.9x24 front tires, 18.4x38 rear tires, Snap-on duals, 2500 hrs; Int. 844 2 w/d, cab, 18.4x34 tires.
MACHINERY: 16' Int. 4500 Vibro-Shank cultivator with finger harrow; Int. 510 seed drill, 16 single drills, small seed box; 10' land roller; Kverneland BB100 plow, 4 furrow, clean; Rigol plow; drag harrow, 5 panels; Int. 4000 swather, gas; 4 row cyclo 400 corn planter; Hesston 3760 tedder, 4 rotors; Dion 450 harvester, hay pickup and 2 row corn head; cutting bar; NH 782 Harvester, hay pickup and 2 row corn head; 2 Dion forage boxes, left, 3 beaters, roof, on JD 1065A wagon; Dion forage box, 3 beaters, on wagon; NH 27 forage blower; 2 hay rakes, 1-NH 256; NH 310 baler; Allied autom. stooker; NH 630 round baler; 3-hay platforms, 2-20', 1-18' on 8 T Dion wagon; 2 gravity boxes, 1-on wagon; 8"x40' Farm King grain auger on wheels; 200 gal. hyd. White chemical sprayer; 2 manure spreaders; 1 NH tandem, 1-beater, 1-Int. 1 axle, Farm Hand 815 grinder mixer on wheels; 4' blade; spear; 35' approx. steel elevator PTO; 18' steel cattle feeder on wagon.
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BUDDING BUILDERS: Martintown P.S. Grade 4 students Kodie Gills, left, and Thomas Kuipers designed a medieval castle for their Social Studies project. The castle includes a drawbridge, towers, turrets, arrow holes, a keep, and even a king. It is made entirely from recycled materials. CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Congratulations to all and a big thank you to all who participated in the Great Raisin River Canoe Race this past Sunday: the organizers, the Volunteer Firefighters, and the brave, strong paddlers.

The weather could not have been better, and if memory serves me right, this is two years in a row for sunshine and mild temperatures.

The bridge and the banks were full to capacity and a great day was had by all, I hope.

Home town favourites, Corey Van Loon and Joey Van Loon placed second in the Pro Class. I saw Dan and Taylor Daigle from Martintown, and former residents, Andrew Beaudin and Adrien Beaudin in separate canoes, and there were probably many more from Martintown out on the river. Our son, Douglas Winn placed third in the Student-Men's class with his partner, Trevor Bougie. Sore muscles are a complaint in our house!

Martintown Public School

There will be no school for students of Martintown Public School, or any other for that matter, on Good Friday, April 18 and Easter Monday, April 21.

The school is looking for parent volunteers to help with a book fair which is to be held from April 28 to May 2. Families are welcome to come into the school during that week from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. to purchase books. Linda Leishman, the volunteer library and book fair coordinator, is also looking for help in the school library. Please contact the school if you can help.

The school staff thanks Mrs. Donna Orr and Ms. Chantal Ceasor for organizing the lunch time chess program and the Gingras family for the donation of books and story cassette tapes for the library. The work of classroom volunteers, Mrs. Paula Thompson for her help in baking with the Kindergarten class, and Mrs. Valerie Ming for helping out in the Grade 1/2, class is much appreciated.

The prizes for the grade 7/8 year-end trip raffle were drawn on April 11, and the winner of the grand prize, an Enchanted Evening at the Parkway Inn in Cornwall, was won by Adam Bugera. Second prize, glassware, was won by the Mallast family, the stained glass panel was won by Merina Johnston, Ian McIntosh won the golf putter (look out Mike Weir), Bernadette Maloney won the clothes package, the tole painted item and the decorative wreath were both won by the Goodfellow family, and the basket of goodies was won by Mr. Fontaine.

The grade 7/8 class is reading the novel, Holes, by Louis Sachar, and will be going to see the movie. The class is playing their version of a survivor game and calling it Holevivor. I have been assured that no one gets voted off the School Island.

The students, who are divided into tribes and given bandanas, complete challenges to go along with the book and last week the challenge was an obstacle course.

Ten of the Peacemakers from grades 6 and 7 attended a one day conference in Cornwall on April 10. These students will be applying their knowledge as they take on, or continue in, the role of peer helpers in the school next year.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church celebrated the Lord's Supper on April 13. During the service, by Act of Session, Mrs. Valerie Ming was welcomed into the church family.

Following the service a fellowship hour, hosted by Frans and Erica Letschnig, George and Vera Kerr and Earl Fourney, was held in the church hall.

On Easter Sunday, April 20, the men of St. Andrew's Presbyterian will host an Easter Breakfast from 8 to 9 a.m. This tradition has been in place for a number of years and is always well attended and appreciated by everyone. An invition is extended to the community to join in this time of fellowship, followed by worship at 9:30 a.m.

St. Andrew's United

A Good Friday service, led by the confirmation class, will be held at St. Andrew's United Church in Martintown at 10 a.m. on April 18. The Easter Sunday the service will be at 11 a.m. during which Kelsey Thomson, Kevin Johnston, Rhys Paquette and Jordon Poirier will be confirmed.

St. William's Catholic

St. William's Roman Catholic Parish will have a service on Good Friday at 3 p.m. The Saturday Easter Vigil will be held at Williamstown 8 p.m. on April 19, and on Easter Sunday, Mass will be at 9 a.m. in Martintown.

Parish breakfast

Martintown and area residents are welcome to attend a breakfast and bake sale to be held on April 27 at St. Mary's Centre in Williamstown. The Knights of Columbus, Council 11243, is putting on the breakfast to help Reverend Deacon Kerry McDonald and his family with costs associated with his hospitalization and surgery.

Rev. Kerry, who, until recently, did bi-monthly services at St. William's Roman Catholic Parish in Martintown, has been in the Ottawa Heart Institute waiting for a heart transplant for some time.

The full breakfast of bacon, eggs, sausages, baked beans, pancakes, coffee and tea will be served between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. and all are asked for a free-will donation. The bake sale idea is enticing, just before Easter!

What better way to prepare for company than with a freezer topped up with homemade goodies.

Condolences

A long-time Martintown resident, Penny McLeod, passed away on April 8. She is mourned by her family and many friends and will be remembered with great affection by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, Sam McLeod of Maxville, and five children, Hugh of Vancouver, Jim and his wife, Mary Jo, of Martintown, Rod and his wife Pierrette of Toronto, Marlene Werry and husband, Don, of Oshawa, and Sam and his wife, Adele, of Martintown.

She will be greatly missed by 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. McLeod was an avid golfer and member of Summer Heights Golf Links, and a keen bridge player. She initiated Party Bridge at the Martintown Community Centre and was instrumental in getting the Community Centre up and running. She was an excellent cook and took great pride in her family.

A private funeral service was held on April 10 in Cornwall.

Sympathy is extended to all the members of the family.

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to Chantal Sauve of the Island Road over the death of her sister, Sylvie Blanchet in Cornwall on April 10. A funeral was held on April 12, also in Cornwall.

Goodtimers meeting

The Martintown Goodtimers general meeting will be held on April 23 at the Martintown Community Centre beginning with the pot-luck lunch at 11.30 a.m., followed by the meeting, then activities (cards, shuffleboard etc.) Guest speaker Bev Runions will be rescheduled at a later date.

Bridge tournament

In case you have missed this bit of news, the friendly Annual Charity Bridge Tournament will take place at the Martintown Community Centre on April 26. Registration will take place at 11:30 a.m., lunch is at noon and Bridge begins at 1 p.m. To reserve tickets please call Audrey Blair at 347-3336.

Audrey's bridge

The winners of the April 4 Friday night bridge were: 1st, Jacquie Thibert and Audrey Blair; 2nd, Jean and Jim Campbell.

Duplicate bridge

The results of the Goodtimers Duplicate Bridge played on April 8 were as follows: North/South, 1. Marg and Sam Wolynec, 2. Audrey Blair and Margaret Kennedy. East/West, 1. Allan McLeod and Henryk Rzepczyk, 2. Estelle Brazeau and Sheila Pickett.

Party bridge

The winners of the party bridge held on April 14 at the Martintown Community Centre were Bernice Barlow, Bill Tadgell and Larry Downs.

Bridge players were delighted to have snowbird Jean Butler back to complete the last table for Monday. Jean and Rene's many friends will be glad they are back. They are always ready to lend a hand with the many volunteer organizations in Martintown and are missed during the long dark days of winter.

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NOTICE OF PASSING OF A ZONING BYLAW AMENDMENT BY THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GLENGARRY

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of North Glengarry passed bylaw No. Z-01-2003 on the 14th day of April, 2003 under Section 34 of the Planning Act.

AND TAKE NOTICE that any person or public body may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the bylaw by filing with the Clerk of the Township of North Glengarry not later than the 6th day of May, 2003 a notice of appeal setting out objection to the bylaw and the reasons in support of the objection. A Notice of appeal must include the prescribed fee, payable to the Minister of Finance.

ONLY INDIVIDUALS, corporations and public bodies may appeal a Zoning Bylaw to the Ontario Municipal Board. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or group on its behalf.

THE PURPOSE of this zoning amendment is to rezone approximately 1.2 acres (.486 ha) of land located as part of Lot 7, Concession 18 I.L. (Municipal address - 31 Mechanic Street East, Maxville On.) Township of North Glengarry. The zoning amendment will change the current designation of Institutional (In), to Residential First Density Holding (R1-h). The property is currently used for residential purposes, and the amendment would reflect its use.



THE COMPLETE bylaw is available for inspection at the Township of North Glengarry office during regular office hours.

AN EXPLANATION of the purpose and effect of the bylaw and a key map showing the location of the lands to which the bylaw applies are included.

DATED AT the Township of North Glengarry this 14th day of April, 2003.

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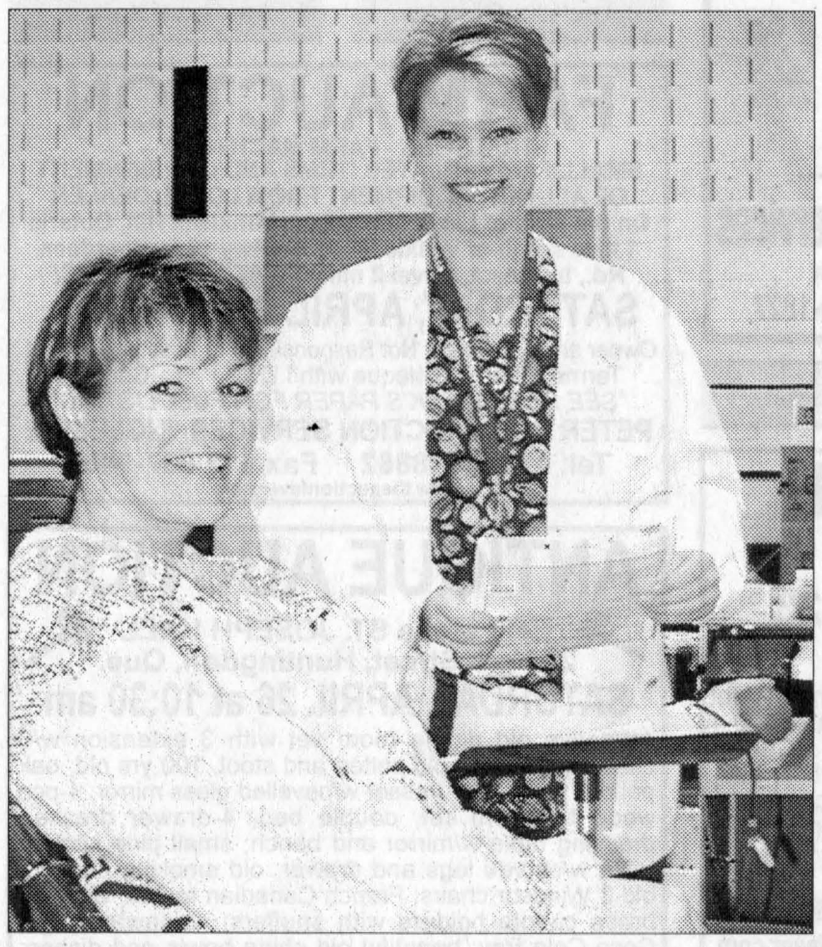

FIFTH GIFT: Sue Stewart of Alexandria, shown here with clinic assistant Tammy Guimond of Ottawa, rolled up her sleeve for the fifth time to give the gift of life at the Canadian Blood Services blood donor clinic held at GDHS/Le Relais last week. The Caisse Populaire of Alexandria and the Centre de santé communautaire de l'Estrie sponsored the clinic. The next opportunity to give blood in Alexandria will be July 22. KRISTINA WILSON PHOTO

Where is Prince Charlie's sword?



HIGHLAND PATHS

KEN MCKENNA

Dr. Hugh P. MacMillan of Ottawa is an old friend who often gives me historical data for these columns. He probably knows more about Greater Glengarry than anyone else alive or dead and was recently honoured at a gathering at Laggan School by this community for a lifetime spent acquiring information about this area. He lived in the village of Lochiel for many years, where his father was a Presbyterian minister who preached into his 90s and Hugh is particularly interested in anything that may have to do with the Lochiel area.

Recently, he sent me copies of two letters which came into his hands from noted Canadian historian Jack Richardson, one from Arch. McNab, 17th chief of Clan MacNab to the Earl of Dalhousie, governor-in-chief of British North America, 1820-1828 and one from the Earl of Dalhousie to Arch. McNab. I'll give excerpts from the first letter and then identify the writer and addressee in more detail. The theme presents us with a mystery concerning the alleged sword of Bonnie Prince Charlie:

"A. McNab Esq. to The Earl of Dalhousie
Williamston, (sic) County of Glengarry
15 Dec. 1822

My Lord,

The kind and Scottish reception I was honoured with by your Excellency upon my coming to this country, and the protection you have condescended to favour me with in it makes me at this time use a liberty I could not have otherwise taken – that of addressing you – therefore under the impression that you will forgive me thus obtruding myself upon you I take the freedom to mention that I have been successful in one of the motives which lead me to this country for I have traced out and found in the possession of one of the old tenants of my family in Lochiel (in this county) a very sacred Jacobite relic, nothing less than the broadsword of Prince Charles Edward Stewart... its identity and history I am unable to prove, but indeed the weapon speaks sufficiently for itself...

Again, my Lord, I must confess, nor can I help saying (for a' the ill this sword had done my predecessors and me) I have a sincere veneration and attachment to it and that my giving or presenting it to any person is a very great sacrifice. Yet providing you think His Majesty would wish to be possessed of such a Memorial of Fate, that in having the honour of presenting it through your Excellency to His Majesty, it will not militate against my views or plans in this country..."

The letter goes on in the most grovelling fashion and was evidently answered by Dalhousie on the 3rd of January, 1823, when he suggested that McNab himself, as representative of a clan that had stood with Bonnie Prince Charlie, should present the sword to the king. Dalhousie said that the then monarch, George IV, would bear no grudge against a chief whose Jacobite ancestors had fought against the king's ancestors but would be a suitable symbol of reconciliation.

The trouble is that we know nothing more about the incident – or whether there had ever been such a sword possessed by someone in Lochiel. As far as the Earl of Dalhousie is concerned (after whom Dalhousie, Que. is named), we know that he had a brilliant military career, fought at Waterloo and, after his term as governor-in-chief of British North America, was appointed commander-in-chief of the British forces in India.

The background of Archibald McNab was quite different. He came to Canada in 1822 (the year of his letter about the sword) to escape from his creditors and his scheme to settle on a large tract of land was approved the following year. He brought about 15 families from Scotland and others from Canada to settle on his land near the town he named Arnprior, after the place of the same name in Scotland. He misused, sued and plundered these people for 15 years until he was driven from his land and his palatial home in Hamilton and fled to France where he eventually died, having abandoned his wife and four children in Scotland and fathering at least two other children, one in McNab Township in his original settlement and another in England in the 1850s. By all accounts he was a despicable man and might well have concocted the whole story of Prince Charlie's sword to ingratiate himself with the authorities. In any case, if anyone reading this column, particularly anyone having connections in the former Lochiel Township of Glengarry County, has any information which may help to clear up this mystery, please let me know.

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The annual Gaelic-English celebration of the Canadian Highland heritage of Glengarry, Feis-Glengarry, will take place this year in September. More information will appear later in this column.

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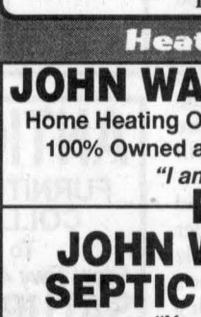

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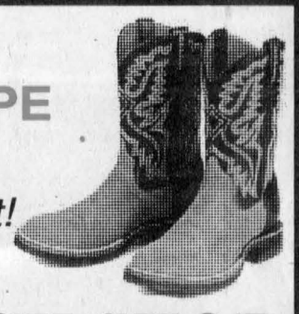

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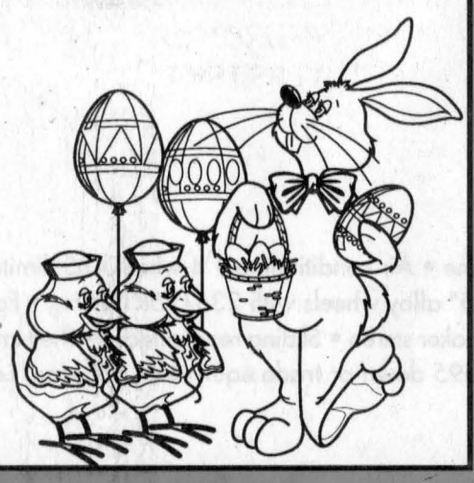

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