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Politicians search for hospital tax alternative

By Sue Harrington
News Correspondent

Despite the visit to the area by Health Minister Tony Clement last Thursday, residents of SDG are no closer to knowing exactly how restructuring costs of Cornwall hospitals will affect them.

Mr. Clement, who attended a meeting of the joint executive committee (JEC) and heard comments from JEC members and others in the medical community, had no concrete answers to concerns.

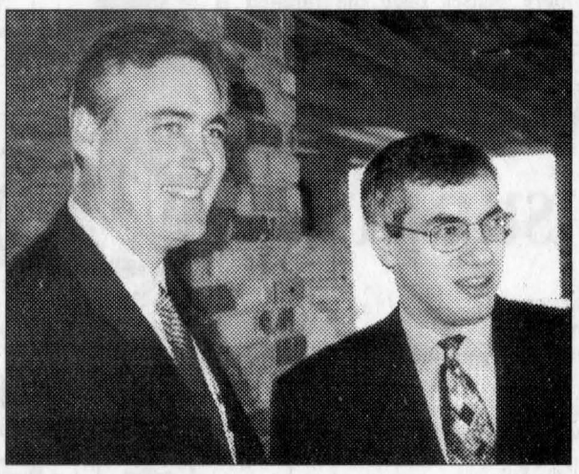
Under the restructuring mandate, Cornwall General Hospital is slated to become an acute care facility, and the Hotel Dieu, a chronic care hospital.

Present cost of the restructuring is estimated at $67 million. Of this, the JEC proposes the City of Cornwall raises $14 million, the United Counties of SDG, $5 million, and Akwesasne, $1 million. The province will provide the rest.

Mr. Clement could give no indication of whether or not these figures might be reduced by increased support by the province. He referred to the "instability" caused by the events of Sept. 11, and said that at this point he didn't know what his own budget was.

"When I can provide an answer, I will," he said.

Mr. Clement described the restructuring as a work in progress and said he had heard lots of comments which will all go "into the hopper."



Cornwall Mayor Brian Sylvester, Minister Tony Clement

He also commended Cornwall Mayor, Brian Sylvester and council for "thinking outside the box," in attempting to come up with some solutions to the funding problem.

"That's the kind of creative thinking we need," said Mr. Clement, who announced his bid for the leadership of the Ontario Conservatives the day after his visit to Cornwall.

Despite a recommendation against it from Cornwall City CEO Cecil Vincent, Mayor Sylvester has indicated that city council might favour a special tax levy on its residents.

At an SDG council meeting on Monday, however, council came out resoundingly against hitting the taxpayers for its share of the restructuring costs.

The proposal to have the community's share raised through property taxation comes from the JEC which believes that the city/counties allocation should be based upon the residence of the patients. To do this, hospital admission statistics were examined for the last three years.

Of these admissions, 65.4 percent were from the city, and 25.8 percent from the counties, with Akwesasne and "other" accounting for the rest. South Glengarry residents made up the greatest number of admissions from outside of the city, at 8.6 percent.

North Glengarry, despite having a hospital within its own municipality, accounted for 6.4 percent of the admissions – a figure which surprised city officials.

South Glengarry Mayor, Dave MacDonald, knocked the city for not having begun the funding process earlier.

SDG co-ordinator Mike Waddell said that the meeting with Mr. Clement had been successful in that "a little bit of headway" was made.

His comments were echoed by Cornwall General chief of staff, Dr. Garth Taylor.

"The minister heard us. I think he listened. Now we will just sit back and see how well he listened."

The meeting with the Health Minister came about as the result of a letter sent to him in September by Stomont, Dundas and Charlottenburgh MPP John Cleary.

Interested parties are hoping that the minister will return for another meeting when he has more information to impart from the province.

Local media left out to dry

Who banned the media? That's what a couple of reporters wanted to know after being barred from a meeting held so that Ontario Health Minister, Tony Clement, could hear comments and concerns about hospital restructuring from members of the medical community in SDG.

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Green Valley residents fighting for Ste. Marie

By Kristina Michaud
News Reporter

An emergency meeting has been called for tonight, at 8 p.m. at École Ste. Marie in Green Valley to rally support for the school.

The meeting was called by concerned citizens who feel they have not been given enough information about the school's possible closure.

A letter addressed to the citizens of Green Valley informs them that the Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien will make its final recommendations at the board's regular meeting on Dec. 11 in L'Orignal.

The letter is signed by Father Marcel Larouche, parish priest, Green Valley Optimist Club president Fernande Ménard and viability committee president Pierre Charles Hébert.

The letter asks the community's support to save the school and its heritage.

"Last year, the school council was prevented from informing parents of the possibility of the school's closure," said Mr. Hébert, who was school council president at the time. "We wanted to send out a letter, but we were told, 'No' by the principal (Gisèle Decoeur-Lafrance)."

"People are disappointed that they didn't hear about it until recently," he added.

"Now we're trying to assemble people who are in favour of keeping the school open."

The history of Green Valley is intimately linked to the French language Catholic school, the letter states.

"If there's no school, there's no village," said concerned citizen Henri Jeaurond.

"We're holding this meeting to tell people what might happen to the community without the school."

The letter also suggests that should the board decide to close the school, perhaps the community should look into buying the building and opening a private Catholic francophone school, as their forebears did.

Petitions against the school's closure can be found at Imprimerie Ça Presse, Lucky Dollar and at Ste. Marie church.

So far, more than 250 signatures have been collected. The petitions will be presented to the Ministry of Education.

Glengarry In Brief

HOPE campaign begins

HOPE (Helping Other People Everyday) has launched its annual fundraising campaign.

The group is best known for the Christmas Supper it hosts for less fortunate or lonely people in the area. This year, some of the money raised will be put aside for a rescue fund to be used at other times during the year.

Local businesses have shown an increasing interest in supporting HOPE over its nine years of operation, and the group is hoping for continued generous support this year.

For more information or to make a contribution, phone André Lefebvre at 525-3260.

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The winners to date are Yves Decoeur of St. Anne de Prescott, Lillian Munro of Williamstown, Robert Lajoie of Alexandria and Don Blackadder of Martintown.

Final draw is Dec. 12. For more details see this week's ad on Page 4.

The Stork Market

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GLENGARRY BABIES IN 2001:

Boys: 66 Girls: 42

Fire closes Dairy Queen

By Kristina Michaud
News Reporter

Alexandria Dairy Queen owners Mike and Kim Major are facing some hefty repair bills after fire damaged their restaurant early Friday morning.

North Glengarry Fire Chief Maurice Brunet estimates the damage between $75,000 to $100,000.

"It could have been a lot worse," he said.

The Majors agree, saying that a metal door between the storage area and the dining area may have prevented even more severe damage.

Smoke damaged the ceiling tiles and frames, which will have to be replaced. A computer located in the office was damaged, as well as an air conditioner unit and other items stored in the back room. All inventory was lost when the power had to shut off.

The restaurant will be closed for two to three months.

"I hope we're not closed longer," said Mrs. Major. "We have staff, customers and ourselves to think about."

The Majors have owned the business for 10 years.

The call was reported by the alarm company, when it detected movement in the building at 1:42 a.m. on Friday.

By the time Mr. Major got the phone call at home in Glen Nevis, firefighters were already on the scene.

The heat of the fire was so intense, the exit sign above the south door melted.

The source of the blaze was an ice making machine located in the back storage area. Faulty wiring is suspected. Insurance inspectors were on the scene Monday.

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TRADE 'YA FOR CANDY CANE: Catherine Blair, 2, of Maxville appears reluctant to take a candy cane from Maxville firefighter Lionel Quenneville on Sunday during the Maxville Santa Claus Parade. Grandmother Lorna Blair was already holding hers for safekeeping. **For photos and story, see page 9.** GREG PEERENBOOM PHOTO

Santa Claus makes many visits

By *News* Staff

Alexandria and area residents will have to wait a little longer than expected for Santa Claus.

St. Nick won't be coming down Main Street Alexandria until Dec. 9 the Richelieu Club announced Tuesday.

Santa was originally scheduled to arrive for Dec. 1.

No other changes have been made for the 6:30 p.m. event. Float entries are still being accepted. Call Raymond Legault, 525-4639.

Santa's second visit

The Lancaster Santa Claus parade will make it way through town starting at 2 p.m. on Dec. 1.

Floats will gather at 12:30 p.m. in the Legion parking lot, and the parade will make its way down Main Street, wrapping up at the St. Joseph's Parish Hall.

The parade theme this year is "Friends at Christmas." Judging of the floats will take place during the parade, and awards will be presented at the hall.

Children can come to the hall after the parade to meet with Santa Claus, who will give them a treat.

For more information or to enter a float, contact Mr. Millett at 347-2207 or Pierre Roy at 347-3421.

A Martintown Santa Claus Parade is being revived by some civic-minded individuals and will take place on Dec, 16.

The parade will lead straight to the Santa party which the Optimist Club is organising at the Community Centre.

Any group or family wishing to put a float into the parade is asked to call Karen Myers at 528-1263 or pop in to see her at the gas bar, or call Mike McDonell at 528-1065.

Jubilee brings holiday cheer early

By Christine Fripp Murray
News Correspondent

For more Jubilee coverage, see photos on page 10

Pst! the holiday season is upon us already. How can you tell? Not by the amount of snow on the ground, that's for sure, but rather by the gala dinner party – the Christmas Jubilee 2001 – held Saturday night at the Glengarry Sports Palace .

Now in its fifth year, the past two galas were hosted by the Alexandria and District Chamber of Commerce. Prior to that, the event was sponsored by the Business Improvement Area.

Still, as this year's chairperson, Barry MacDonald notes, "Many perceive the Jubilee as the kick-off of the Christmas season."

Gail Belair-Abrames first came up with the idea to have a fancy and festive social event to bring everyone in the business world and community together to celebrate the onset of the season.

It's been a success ever since that first year when a smallish gathering of 55 took part in what many consider to be the social event of the season in North Glengarry.

In past years Ms. Belair-Abrames, ably assisted by Colleen Russell and John Clingen, was the principal organizer of the evening. This year, she stepped back a little to allow other members of the chamber to step to the fore. However, her touch remained evident throughout, as she put all her energies into decorating the hall.

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FIRST STOP ALEXANDRIA: Before Santa visited Maxville he showed up Saturday morning for the Christmas Jubilee breakfast where he took requests from youngsters such as Dylan Abrames. GREG PEERENBOOM PHOTO

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County's emergency plans far from complete

By Greg Peerenboom
News Editor

North Glengarry's new "interim" emergency plan is, for now, supplying the foundation for a comprehensive response package.

"It's really 25 per cent done," said Bill Shearing, the consultant hired to guide the township through the process.

Mr. Shearing, a Morrisburg resident and former career Canadian Armed Forces soldier, admits the interim document is "generic".

In fact, two North Glengarry committee members, Lionel Lustgarten and Garry Smith, raised some of these concerns at the Nov. 12 council meeting during a presentation on the plan to council.

Mr. Lustgarten urged council to "market" the plan to the general public and get their input.

Mr. Smith concentrated on the lack of specifics. He said the plan should try to meet the most likely disaster, such as a chemical spill originating from a train derailment.

Mr. Shearing did not disagree.

"The township should follow up with planning and training for those involved," Mr. Shearing said. "They should get involved in exercises."



Bill Shearing

Although South Glengarry Township has had a similar plan for about two years, it too, has not 'exercised' it, said township administrator Marcel Lapierre.

North Glengarry Mayor Bill Franklin said the township should move slowly and deliberately toward its goal.

Mr. Shearing developed the plan for Morrisburg during the mid-1990s. It was incorporated into the municipality's departments.

"When the ice storm came it was like holding another exercise."

This experience was then used to modify the plan.

The blueprint so far mirrors other emergency plans in SDG townships. Now the real work lies ahead.

As it stands now, the plan spells out how it's put into effect and who are the key players who form the Community Control Group.

"What we need is now is people to get them trained, to have equipment. We need facilities. And in turn we need testing."

He said there will be more cost involved. The township has already budgeted $4,000 for the plan as it is now.

An application has been made to the Joint Emergency Preparedness Program (JEPP), which is administered by the Ministry of the Solicitor General's Emergency Measures Ontario, which is represented locally by Philippe Geoffrion.

Mr. Geoffrion attended the Nov. 12 meeting and told council he is available as a resource person.

The next step is a "table-top" test of the plan involving required township staff and being staged Jan. 16 by North Glengarry's protection to persons and property committee.

After this, the township can begin adding information to the plan's appendices.

South Glengarry also has a JEPP funding application, Mr. Lapierre said, adding it's not the municipality's first try.

He said the township has been turned down because the Solicitor General wanted a more complete breakdown of testing, methodology and administrative costs.

"We addressed that this time," Mr. Lapierre said.

The township has hired Trow Engineering to help proceed with more phases once the funding is approved.

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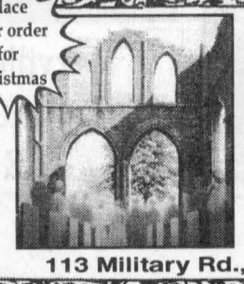

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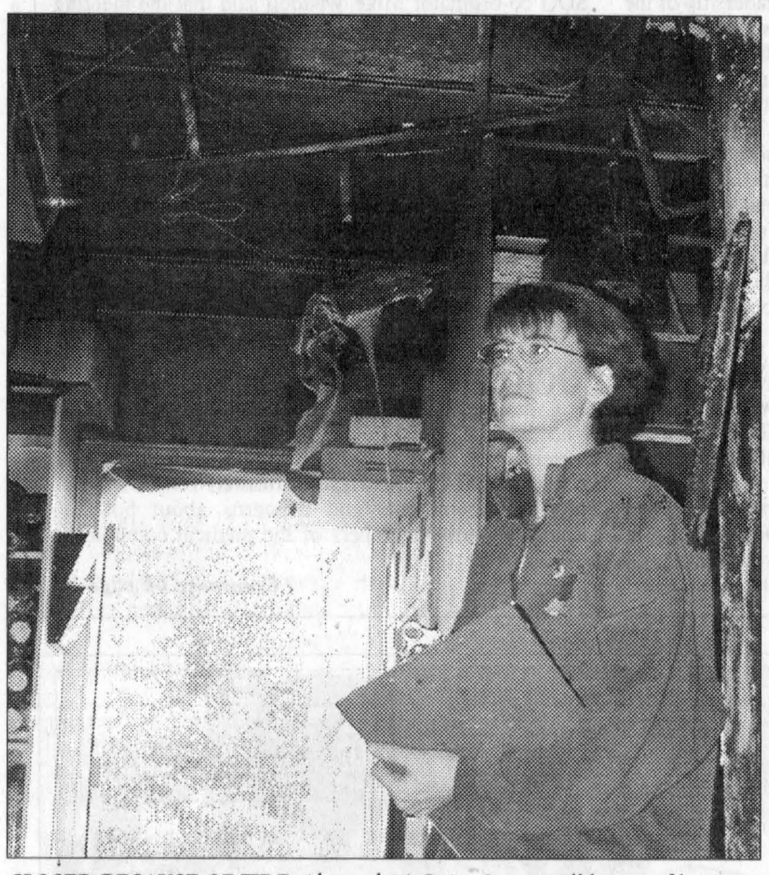

CLOSED BECAUSE OF FIRE: Alexandria's Dairy Queen will be out of business for two to four weeks after a fire originating from the ice-making machine caused some damage to the building Thursday night. Co-owner Kim Major surveys some of the damage in the storage room Friday morning.

TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

Freeze-up won't clog town water supply

By Greg Peerenboom
News Editor

Costly plans to dredge the water channel close to Alexandria's water intake can now be avoided.

An inspection of the channel by rowboat on Nov. 5 showed the channel's depth to be about five feet, said a report by waterworks manager Morris McCormick to township council.

"I feel there is now minimal benefit to be gained by dredging," said Mr. McCormick, who estimated the work would cost between $25,000 to $30,000.

Dredging would have removed silt from the bottom of the Garry River where it empties into the Mill Pond, north of the Lochiel Street W. bridge. Inspections in September and October showed there might be only two and half feet of water.

However, visibility was hampered by weed growth, and once the plants had died off it became apparent there was more depth than originally estimated.

"Our intention is to monitor the ice depth and water plant raw water turbiidity throughout the winter to get a more thorough understanding of the year-round conditions in this area," Mr. McCormick said.

Glengarry Gatherings

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Special Maxville Chamber event

In celebration of its 10th year, the Maxville and District Chamber of Commerce is holding a special Christmas Dinner and Dance on Nov. 24. Proceeds will help the chamber continue its commitment of supporting local business and the community. All past presidents are being invited to attend the evening at the Sports Complex, which stars at 6 p.m. For more info, call Doreen Crites at 527-5685.

GDHS students help Third World children

By Kristina Michaud
News Reporter

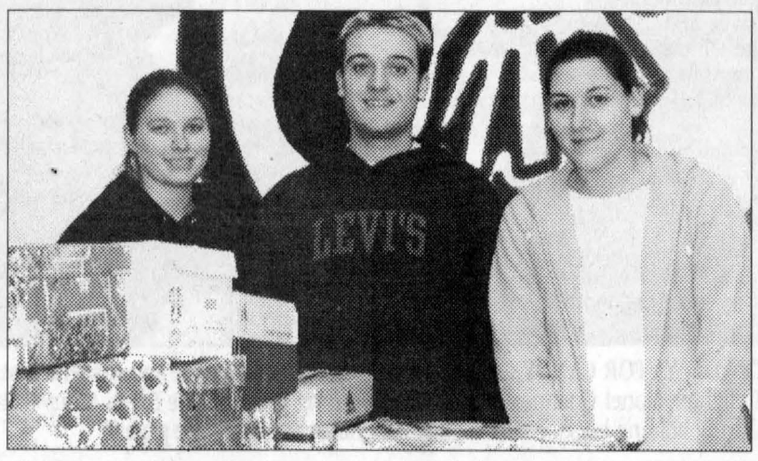
GDHS student council members Lindsey Howes and Tara Couchman took up the challenge when a parent suggested that GDHS participate in Operation Christmas Child, at a recent school council meeting.

The two Grade 12 students took it upon themselves to organize the shoebox drive at the school, which was on from Nov. 5 to 9.

Shoeboxes are usually filled with small toys, school supplies, toiletry items and non-perishable candy. Students were also encouraged to include a photo and their address.

"There are no violent toys, no liquids and no breakables allowed," Ms. Couchman said.

The boxes can be filled for a boy or a girl, and there are three age categories: 2 to 4, 5 to 9 and 10 to 14. Students had to include five dollars to help pay for shipping.



BOXES OF CHRISTMAS CHEER: GDHS student council collected shoeboxes of Christmas gifts for Operation Christmas Child, which distributes the boxes to children in Third World countries. Here, co-ordinators Lindsey Howes, left, and Tara Couchman flank fellow student council member Matt Poirier, with just a few of the nearly 70 boxes students brought in.

KRISTINA MICHAUD PHOTO

Once the boxes were collected at GDHS, they were sent to Hawkesbury. All boxes are forwarded to Operation Christmas Child's headquarters. The boxes are then distributed to children in Third World countries.

GDHS students brought in a total of 67 shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child.

"This is the first year we do this, and we got a lot more boxes than we expected. We hope for even more next year," said Ms. Howes, who is also student council co-president.

The organizers issued a challenge to the school to kick off the activity on Nov. 2. The class which brought in the most boxes will have breakfast prepared for them by student council.

The winning class, with 100 per cent participation, was Mrs. Adams' Grade 9 girls' gym class.

Fire levels Kenyon home

By Kristina Michaud
News Reporter

A Kenyon ward family has lost everything when a fire completely destroyed their home Monday night.

André Lacombe, wife Julie and 14-year-old son Patrick were not at home when the blaze started.

North Glengarry firefighters responded to the call on the 4th of Kenyon at approximately 8:17 p.m.

"When we got there, the house was completely involved. There was nothing we could do. The wind was too strong, which didn't help us," said Fire Chief Maurice Brunet.

"You could almost see the glow from Alexandria."

Chief Brunet said the cause of the fire is unknown, and will be very difficult to determine as there is not much left of the house to work with.

The Lacombes are staying with Norman MacDonald and family.

"We're just trying to cope. It's pretty hard," Mrs. Lacombe said.

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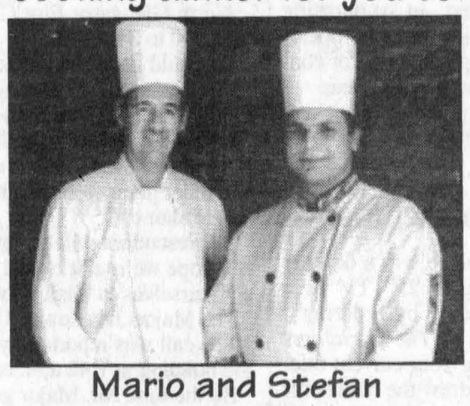

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GLENGARRY SCENE

High school scabies cases not a cause for concern

BY KRISTINA MICHAUD
News Reporter

A concerned parent who informed *The Glengarry News* that two cases of scabies were identified at GDHS/Le Relais will be relieved to learn that there is no need for alarm.

"Why don't they notify the parents? Why hide it? My daughter hangs out with the students who had it," she said last week.

GDHS principal Jacques Lemire said that two cases out of 800 students is not a cause for concern.

"There's no reason to alert parents," he said.

"The students saw the school nurse, and they were treated within 24 hours."

Gisèle Martin of the Eastern Ontario Health Unit agrees.

"Scabies is not a public health issue. If someone with it sees their family doctor, it's under control. Scabies is not on the Ministry of Health's mandatory release list."

Scabies is an infectious skin disease caused by mites and their eggs. The mites live under the skin in red, raised itchy skin lesions. It can be treated by bathing and drying thoroughly, applying treatment solution, available over the counter, and machine washing and drying all clothing that has been in contact with the mites.

Mites are transferred by direct, skin-to-skin contact. They can also be transferred by undergarments or soiled bedclothes which have recently been contaminated by infected persons. Scabies is also often transmitted during sexual contact.

More information can be obtained by phoning the Health Line at 930-7080.

Chinese add to quilt's notoriety

BY SUE HARRINGTON
News Correspondent

It's Friday around noon hour. I'm passing the former Charlottenburgh Township Hall in Williamstown. As I pass the back door of the hall, Esther Bryan pokes her head out and says to come in – there is someone she wants me to meet.

Twenty minutes later I am sitting around a make-shift dining table, and, along with eight other people, am digging in to a lunch of Chinese food.

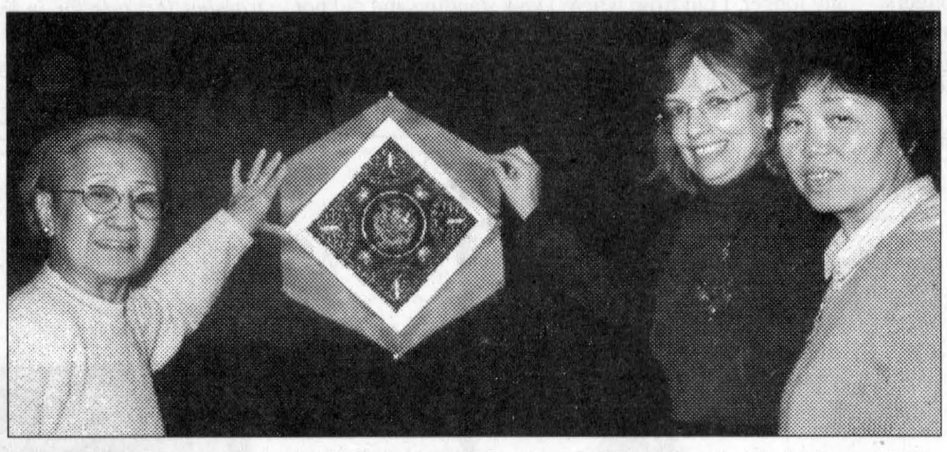
The food has been brought to Williamstown from Ottawa by members of the Yet Keen Seniors' Day Centre who have come to visit Invitation: the Quilt of Belonging. Among them is Angela Yick, the maker of the block which will represent China in the behemoth some are describing as the new Bayeux tapestry.

Work has been steady on the quilt since its beginning nearly three years ago. Each of the 273 ethnic and aboriginal cultural groups across Canada has been invited to produce a hand-made block, with the textile forms and symbols that represent the unique beauty and contribution of the culture to the Canadian fabric.

When completed, the resulting tapestry will measure approximately 140 feet long and 12 feet high. An accompanying book will record the textile history of Canada as well as the stories, history and symbols found in the blocks.

Plans are afoot to have the quilt and the text travel across Canada to be shared by all.

A taste of the public's reaction to Invitation was sampled in Toronto recently when Esther, the project's creator and co-ordinator, along with a dozen or so volunteers travelled to the Creative Sewing and Needlework Festival, held at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre.



REPRESENTING CHINA: Angela Yick, from left, shows off the Chinese block she made for Invitation: Quilt of Belonging, with Esther Bryan, project co-ordinator, and Judy Yan of the Yet Keen Seniors' Day Centre. SUE HARRINGTON PHOTO

Invitation was housed in a booth sponsored by Bernina, one of the project's corporate sponsors. The theme of the booth was "Sharing Stitches," and visitors to the festival were invited to add their stitches to a portion of the quilt and add their names to a special 100 foot long, hand-made signatory book.

The reaction to Invitation was unbelievable, reports Esther.

"People were trying to find the blocks representing their countries, and some were moved to tears."

Others were disappointed when they discovered that their countries' blocks have yet to be finished.

Exposed to 40,000 people

As a result of the quilt's exposure in a festival that attracted close to 40,000 people, the tempo has picked up in Invitation's Williamstown headquarters. While in Toronto, Esther was interviewed by several magazines, including Canadian Living. Thousands of brochures describing the project were distributed and feedback has been fantastic. Invitations have been received to take the quilt to several other shows, including the annual Waterloo County and Area Quilt Festival – the largest quilt festival in Canada.

Angela Yick was one of those who travelled to Toronto with the project. She admitted to being worried at the reaction the Chinese block would garner.

The block is executed on black silk. It features a dragon embroidered as a focal point in the centre and lots of swirling couching in gold thread.

"Do you know how many Chinese dragons there are?" Esther asks me. "We looked through all kinds of them before choosing this one. Apparently they all stand for different things."

Research has been thorough throughout the course of the project, with entire rooms dedicated to extracting and recording historical, geographical, political and social information about the many countries and aboriginal groups.

Now that the Chinese block is finished, the pressure is off Angela. She stands admiring the block which is tacked up on the office wall.

"Look at her. She is so proud," says Eric Lam, director of the Yet Keen Seniors' Day Centre.

Mr. Lam thinks the project is amazing and has fallen in love with Williamstown.

The Chinese are just one of the many different ethnic groups and societies which have visited South Glengarry as a result of Invitation. For most of them, the visit was a first to this part of the country, but not the last. Often they return, bringing yet another carload of friends to enjoy the quilt. And the circle widens.

Esther feels that at this time of world disorder, the quilt is particularly relevant.

"We need it now more than ever," she says.

She describes the block which represents Afghanistan.

"It even has a small hand-made carpet in the middle."

Esther lavishes praise on the volunteers who are vital to keeping the project going. From researchers to office workers; from board members to stitchers, it is their selfless dedication that makes the giant undertaking worthwhile to her.

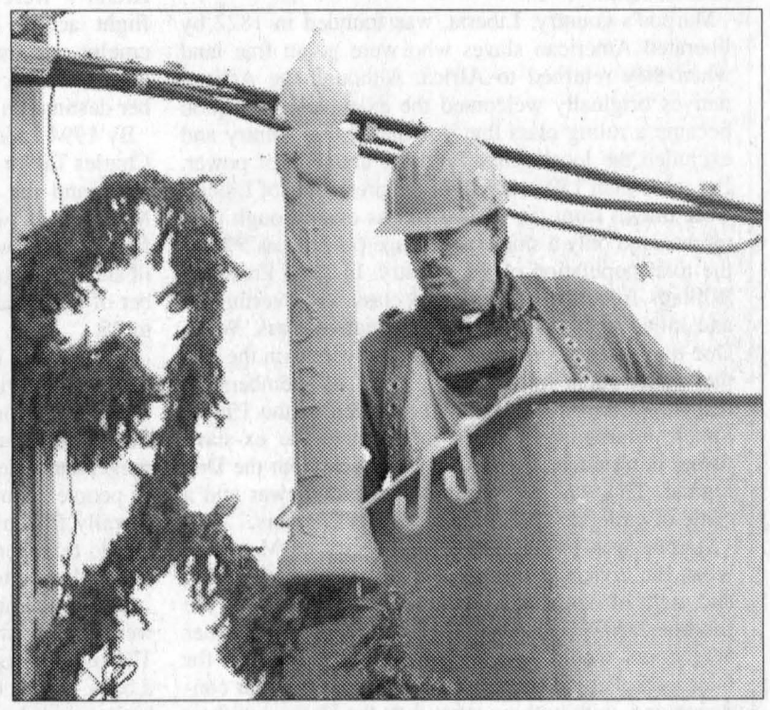
She is also excited about a new initiative involving students from the Community Art Education program at Concordia University. Esther, who is a graduate in Fine Arts from Concordia, has been invited to present the Invitation project to the students, outlining its purpose, and showing the effect of using art to represent and educate the community. Part of the mandate of these courses is to illustrate to the students how artists can initiate and carry out project ideas for the community, by the community.

The impromptu Chinese luncheon is over and I find myself being photographed on all sides by members of the Chinese community. In the short time it has taken to be lured in off the street, treated to some amazing food, and entertained with stories and laughter, I have learned much about this group of Canadians.

Provides education

Returning to the routine of the workday, I realize that this is the real beauty of Invitation – the education it provides about the people behind the blocks.

If you would like to know more about this project; act as one of its volunteers, or just see the progress which has been made to date, please phone 613-347-2381, or visit Invitation's website at www.invitationproject.ca.



DECK THE STREETS?: The Christmas season is not truly under way in Alexandria until the coloured lights adorn the street lamps. Sproule Power Line was busy at work on Monday and Tuesday, putting the lights up on Main, Lochiel and Kenyon streets. Here, Donald MacNaughton makes the connection on the lamp post in front of the police station.
KRISTINA MICHAUD PHOTO

"Coupla White Chicks" are entertaining

BY KRISTINA MICHAUD
News Reporter

A few months ago, AnnaMarie Lea, artistic director of the Cow Patti Theatre Company was having a facial at the Georgian House day spa. Last week, she was back at the Georgian House, performing in "A Coupla White Chicks Sitting Around Talking."

"Deborah (Kerr) and Heinz (Kaswurm) found out that I do dinner theatre," Ms. Lea said, "and we all wanted it to happen."

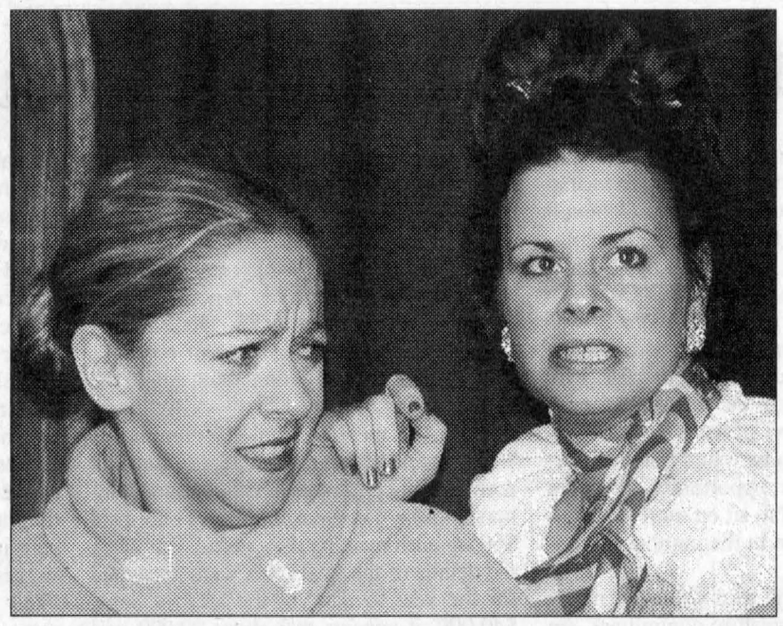
In less than two months, Ms. Lea was able to choose the show, cast it and get it ready for opening night last Wednesday.

"We've been rehearsing intensely for three weeks," she said.

So far, the show has been a great success. Most performances have been sold out. An extra show was even added for last Saturday.

Tonight's performance is a benefit for children orphaned by the New York City disaster.

There are three dinner theatre performances left, tonight, Nov. 22 and Nov. 24. Tickets are $37. Cocktails begin at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 7 p.m. and the performance at 8:15. There is also one dessert matinee to go, Nov. 25, beginning at 2 p.m. Tickets for that performance are $26.



COW PATTI THEATRE DROPS INTO ALEXANDRIA: Actors Alix Sideris and AnnaMarie Lea portray Maude Mix and Hannah Mae Bindler in Ms. Lea's theatre company, Cow Patti Theatre production of John Ford Noonan's "A Coupla White Chicks Sitting Around Talking." KRISTINA MICHAUD PHOTO

"A Coupla White Chicks Sitting Around Talking" takes place in the backyard of uptight suburban housewife Maude Mix, played by Ottawa-based actor Alix Sideris.

Maude is having a bad day; her husband is off on a weekend spree with his secretary and she can't get rid of her pesky neighbour, who has recently moved next door from Texas, Hannah Mae Bindler, played by Ms. Lea.

After an insane week of broken arms, lots of coffee, birthday cakes and a trip to New York City, the two become friends and join forces against their husbands.

"It's all about a night out. You have a laugh, you have a good meal. There are so many tragedies in the world right now, we need to get away from it all with laughter," Ms. Lea said.

When asked about the possibility of more shows being presented at the Georgian House, Ms. Lea stated that right now it's tentative.

"You have to leave them wanting more," she said.

"But we're working actors. We have other work outside of this (dinner theater). It will depend on our workload."

NORTH GLENGARRY COUNCIL NOTEBOOK

Township garbage pick-up cheaper

North Glengarry is keeping open its options as it begins the tendering process for garbage and recycling contracts.

RARE manager Rene Jeaurond estimated the cost of buying two trucks and operating them would be less expensive than getting a private firm to do it.

The township's current contract with Char-Lan Sanitation Services expires Feb. 28, 2002. It is $216,000 for 2001.

The environment committee recommended that two separate five-year contracts be made for recycling and garbage. Mr. Jeaurond said longer deals are becoming more popular because it gives a bidder more leverage when financing a bid.

However, Mr. Jeaurond said other municipalities have done the pick-up themselves. "If the tenders are way out of whack, then we'll look at it."

Reduced park project OK with rec assoc.

The Alexandria Recreation Association is fine with a scaled-down version of the Island Park redevelopment project, if senior government funding is less than planned for.

The association recommended a number of modifications to the existing plan:

- downsize the rec building – savings $250,000.
- remove special lighting – savings $350,000
- disqualify planned dredging of Mill Pond – savings $60,000
- general reduction in various improvements (trails, curbs, parking lots) – savings $100,000

These cutbacks would lower the estimated cost to about $1 million and would still meet the goals for an upgraded park.

Association president Rejean Boulanger wrote to North Glengarry council that this downsizing would not jeopardize private fundraising or the goal of $100,000 set out earlier this year.

Website contract renewed with Tamarack

Tamarack Creek Communications in Dunvegan will continue to maintain the North Glengarry municipal website for $125 per month.

Tamarack Creek designed and built the site a couple of years ago, and have updated its content since.

Council approved Tamarack's contract over a monthly $132 plus taxes offer submitted by IGS Cornwall at its Nov. 12 meeting.

Economic development committee member Garry Smith gave a detailed presentation of the website to council. He explained that any additions to the site would be an extra expense.

Local economy gets three-pronged attack

Economic stimulus for North Glengarry might be aided by three strategies co-ordinated by its economic development committee.

In a report to council, the committee has identified the need for self-promotion, create an informational brochure and recognize a staff member as an economic development liaison officer. This assessment was derived after a public consultation seminar was held last September.

The promotional avenue will include aiding a tourism association, publishing a directory of home-based businesses and building a transportable information centre, ideal for showcasing at regional events.

The brochure will highlight the township's economic and social qualities to capitilize on business interest in the township. The brochure would be sent to various locales between Montreal and Ottawa and the Seaway Valley.

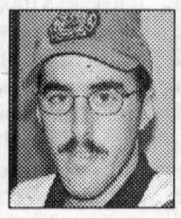
The liaison officer would actively co-ordinate information and activities that would economically enhance the township.

The committee's next step this January is for council to designate a liaison officer, adopt the economic strategy, and support the measures with funding.

– *Greg Peerenboom*

Find better way of raising money for Cornwall hospitals

*Should Glengarry property taxes be raised to support improvements to the Cornwall hospitals? – **Kristina Michaud***



Joey Bissonnette



Carole Vachon



Paul Gareau

Joey Bissonnette, Green Valley: They should keep both hospitals open. I would be willing to pay higher taxes. Hospitals have trouble paying their doctors and nurses.

Carole Vachon, Green Valley: No, we already pay enough taxes. They should use fundraisers. They have great service in Cornwall; it's much better than in Quebec.

STRAIGHT TALK

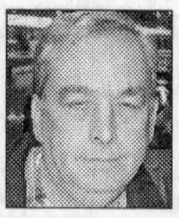
Paul Gareau, Brown House Corner: No, I believe in user fees. There's too much red tape. There aren't enough doctors because they work too hard and they are taxed too much. Some people take advantage of the system: they go to the hospital every time they don't feel well. They should be willing to pay. I'd have to be really sick to go to the hospital.



Stuart Wood



Ernie Etherington



Harold Tayloir

Stuart Wood, Williamstown: Taxes are already sky-high. There's got to be a better solution. There should be more money from the government. They have a $27 billion employment insurance surplus, and they're just sitting on it. They should use the money they already have, and use it for something that's needed.

Ernie Etherington, Alexandria: I don't think it should come from taxes. I support the Cornwall General. I was there for almost a year after my stroke, and they were very nice to me. I think GST money should go to hospitals. We (in Glengarry) should support them, because we're so close, and we need them.

Harold Taylor, Alexandria: No, I don't think people from Alexandria should have to support them (through taxes). There should be a lottery to raise money.

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The triumph of forgiveness over evil under tragic circumstances

GUEST COLUMN



BLAIR & JEAN WILLIAMS

This is the story of Marpue Speare, a 35-year-old mother of two from the West African country of Liberia. Recently when Marpue was called upon to give her "sharing" – a personal meditation or reflection – to the assembled members of the ARI community, what she had to say was riveting. It was a story of incredible sadness and tragedy that left us drained, but in the end we were full of admiration for the woman and her faith.

Marpue's country, Liberia, was founded in 1822 by liberated American slaves who were given free land when they returned to Africa. Although the African natives originally welcomed the ex-slaves, they soon became a ruling class that dominated the country and excluded the local tribes from the councils of power. For more than 150 years all of the presidents of Liberia were drawn from the ex-slave class even though they represented only a small percentage (as little as 5%) of the total population of the country. In 1980 President William Tolbert of the ex-slave class was overthrown and killed by Samuel Doe of the native class. When Doe took over as president he took revenge on the former government by executing 13 of its members. In response Charles Taylor, who had fled to the United States, returned to Liberia to organize the ex-slave forces in an attempt to take power back from the Doe regime. This was the beginning of a civil war and a cycle of violence that lasted for nearly 20 years.

Marpue was living in the capital city of Monrovia when the civil war reached her doorstep. After a day and night of fierce fighting between the rebels and the Liberian army it became clear that Marpue and her neighbours would have to leave the city and run for their lives. People abandoned their homes in utter confusion and, with nothing more than the clothes on their back, began the search for a safe haven. As they left the city they saw streets that were littered with hundreds of dead bodies. On the roads out of Monrovia there were many rebel-held checkpoints where men and women were separated, the women were sent off into the bush, and those men who belonged to the president's tribe – the Krahn – were killed on the spot. In her flight across Liberia Marpue witnessed cruelty and atrocities that she could not even describe, but in the end she reached her destination, Bong county, in central Liberia.

By 1994 Liberia was effectively divided in two with Charles Taylor and the rebel forces controlling the rural areas and the government holding on to the city of Monrovia. It was a terrible time for Marpue and her family. They were away from home, her husband was ill and could not work, and because of the war the number of dependants living with her family had increased to 25.

Without any income or resources to call upon, death due to malnutrition became a real possibility. However, Marpue's terror was only beginning. During their daily family devotion they heard shooting from a very close range, and when they went outside they saw hundreds of people running in the same direction. Marpue was literally frozen in terror by what she saw. Her mother had to take her one-year-old baby from her arms and force Marpue to again run for her life.

As Marpue and her family ran from the village they were being shot at from behind by the soldiers. Through her tears Marpue told about one woman with a baby on her back running beside her. The baby was hit by a bullet and the mother had to take her dead baby off her back and leave it by the side of the road. The woman was crying. She wanted at least to bury her dead child but she couldn't. All she could do was run hard to save her own life and look back at the dead baby on the road.

Marpue was in the forest for 21 days trying to find a way to get to the relative safety of her uncle's village. In the meantime the soldiers were going from village to village beating people, looting, and killing innocents. They exacted a terrible revenge on the village of Gbarnga, Bong County, where all of the men were hung in the trees and beaten.

When Marpue finally reached her uncle's village she was able to live in peace for about two weeks before the soldiers arrived to carry on their campaign of terror. Her uncle was a tribal chief, and the soldiers were accusing him of being a supporter of Charles Taylor and the rebels. When Marpue arrived at her uncle's home what she saw is best described in her own words.

"Both my uncle's hands were tied behind him and he was stripped naked, and there was a power saw in the hand of one of the soldiers. Other bodies were lying in pools of blood. With what I saw my tears got dried, I could not feel any longer. With a gun pointing at us one of the soldiers instructed that we be dragged away from the scene, and he tells us that if he sees us again we will not live to tell the story. When he left us I heard my uncle cry aloud and call for help. After a few seconds I heard the sound of the power saw. I could not stand it any longer, I ran from where I was standing and did not know where I was going but I kept on running and running and running. Up to now I still remember the screams and the words that he said when dying."

When the civil war ended Marpue and her family moved back to the city to try to put their lives back together. She could not, however, forget the people who had brought devastation on her land and her people, and she was consumed with rage at those that had tortured and murdered her uncle. She recognized one of the soldiers who was part of the death squad, living freely and roaming the streets of Monrovia as though nothing had happened. She was overwhelmed with hatred; she would cry incessantly; and all she wanted to do was get back at him and exact her revenge. The injustice, the cruelty, the inhumanity of this man and his partners was all she could think about and it was threatening to destroy her.

But in the end Marpue was able to forgive. She called upon a deep well of faith, and after many tears and on the advice of her pastor she made a conscious decision to forgive the people who committed these evil deeds. She believes that God intervened to bring forgiveness to her heart, and in the end she believes that God will deal with the men who brought such misery to her land.

Marpue remains a tortured soul, and she can't discuss these events without dissolving into tears, but each time she tells her story it gets easier for her. She has found a measure of peace through forgiveness, and now she prays that by talking about her life others in her country, especially the young people, will follow the same path and end the cycle of vengeance, violence and suffering.

Blair and Jean Williams are working in Nishinasuno, Japan, at the Asian Rural Institute (ARI), a leadership training institute for individuals from the underdeveloped regions of Asia and Africa. They are part of the Anglicans in Mission Program of the Anglican Church of Canada.

EDITORIALS

More than a court action

News of the pending legal battle between Glengary Memorial Hospital and a South Glengarry woman on behalf of her father underscores part of the problem with our existing healthcare process in two key ways.

The first, and most obvious, is the degree of misunderstanding that exists about whether healthcare is free. It isn't really, because we the people have to pay for it in one form or another, whether it's through user fees, taxes or interest on government debt. The money inevitably comes from out of our pockets. But more about that later.

As for this specific case, it's no easy-task to try and sort out the issue between the two parties as it relates to Canada Health Act guidelines because both the hospital and the MacDonald family appear to have a valid, albeit contradictory, case. It's questionable, however, whether small claims court is the appropriate venue for interpreting the Canada Health Act. Hopefully, it will only deal with the issue of whether there is an outstanding bill to be paid. In that case, the MacDonalds will have to seek redress in another court venue.

The equally significant issue, however, is the political reaction to this dispute. Our MPP, Jean-Marc Lalonde, has been dragged into the matter by Ms. MacDonald with predictable results. Like any good Canadian politician of his genre, Mr. Lalonde wants to be seen as the good guy.

In this case it means backing both sides, while suggesting that the money should come from the government. Well, guess what Mr. Lalonde, the government doesn't really have any money. It only has funds that it takes from people, like Ms. MacDonald and her father, in the form of taxes or government charges for service, be they through overt measures such as income or sales taxes, or through hidden taxes like those incorporated into the price of a litre of gas.

As already noted, the money inevitably will come from us, or our children if we don't continue to reduce the level of debt that has been incurred in our name but will have to be paid for by future generations.

But that's a whole different kettle of fish.



PHOTOS FROM OUR PAST

STREETSCAPE: Here's an image of Bishop Street looking south in Alexandria, from a collection of postcards, circa 1920, that sold for 25 cents. We welcome photos from readers of past events or people. Please include as much information as possible.

Thorns and Thistles

THISTLE – County library backs idea of two new branches in South Glengarry.

There's still a ways to go before Glen Walter gets a library but the backing of SDG County Library's sites and services review committee moves the process forward. Now it's up to South Glengarry Township to negotiate with the Conseil scolaire de distict catholique de l'est de l'Ontario for use of two school rooms at the now-closed École Précieux-Sang. As well, a library branch may also be in the works for North Lancaster. The sites and services review committee recommends that the township renovate a former municipal building there to be used as a library.

THORN – Mayor on wild-goose chase.

The return of the Canada goose to these parts may be a welcome sign in the spring but they are proving to be a less than desirable visitor for the rest of the time they are here, covering most of the spring, summer and fall seasons. And nowhere is that more evident than at Alexandria's Island Park where they congregate in large flocks and leave a nasty reminder of their presence in the water. In an effort to solve the problem in an economical fashion, North Glengarry Mayor Bill Franklin has taken to firing a flare pistol in the hopes that the geese will get the message. Unfortunately, either they're hard of hearing or just as stubborn as a politician. Whatever, one school of thought is that the geese never really get the message until they see one or more of their own in a permanent non-flying position. Only then, the thinking goes, do they decide to part for less-threatening climes. Hopefully, it won't come down to that but one suspects that the mayor will run out of patience with the present approach long before the geese decide to vacate on a permanent basis.

THISTLE – Talks scheduled for fire aid agreement.

It's been two years in the works says North Glengarry Mayor Bill Franklin but the prospects of an automatic aid agreement with neighbouring Champlain Township moved a bit closer last week with the news that talks had been scheduled. That's good news for residents of the northern half of Lochiel ward in North Glengarry who have to pay higher insurance premiums because they are categorized as being in a unprotected area. Some insurance companies make that designation if a residence or building can not be reached within 12 minutes by firefighters. Since Vankleek Hill is less than half the distance from Dalkeith than Alexandria, the response rate would be much quicker if an agreement can be reached. Mayor John Wilton had been reluctant to enter into talks until he was assured that Champlain residents were adequately covered.

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Reason for change never explained

LETTERS TO EDITOR

I was quite surprised when, at the last meeting of the North Glengarry Township council, the majority of the council approved a motion to re-structure the committees that were appointed by council early in its mandate in the year 2000.

Perhaps the most surprising element was that those in favour of the proposal were largely unable, or unwilling, to state why they wanted to change the structure, and reform the committees. In the new re-formation, there is little to be found that is different, other than the opportunity for more members of council to sit on more committees, and a reduction in the number of non-elected members.

I have been serving as a volunteer member of various township committees (in Kenyon and in North Glengarry) for about eight years. As such, I was quite interested in the proposal, from the time it was first introduced by Deputy-mayor (William) Hagen. I eagerly awaited an explanation of the reasons that were behind this move.

As managers of our township "corporation," I can readily understand if there were a need to streamline, modernize, downsize or otherwise render more efficient the way in which the "business" is run.

So I thought I would hear that the majority of council were dissatisfied with the proposals and recommendations that the committees were forwarding for council's consideration; that the recommendations were not well thought out; that the recommendations were not based on adequate facts and research; that the recommendations were too costly and not realistic; that the operation of vommittees was unwieldy; that council did not have the opportunity to control how the committees functioned and what topics they undertook to study.

But I did not hear anything of council's dissatisfaction, or anything about any of the above items.

I heard a mention that the committees were costing too much to operate, since all members of committees, both elected members and the non-elected members are paid $60 for each meeting they attend. But when the details of the total costs were presented for the year to date, of the total of some $40,000, it appears that about $9,000 was paid to the non-elected members. In response to a question, the deputy-mayor stated that he was quite sure that his new proposal would save the township at least $20,000.

Since there are few changes in the number of committee members in the new proposal, it will be quite interesting to examine the costs at the end of the year 2002, to verify the accuracy of this prediction.

However, whatever the unstated motivation is to increase the number of councillors on the various committees, it appears that the work that has been undertaken by those committees on which I was serving, and was in progress at the time this motion was passed, will be largely scrapped, but might be undertaken anew, if at all.

It disturbs me to know that our appointment by council is regarded with so little interest, and is considered to be of such little value. And in view of this repudiation, and the underlying message, I feel it is better that I relinquish my seat on these committees to others who will perhaps command more respect by our elected officials, especially since most of the members of the new committees will likely be members of council.

I will repeat the comment that I made at the first council meeting held in the township hall after amalgamation in 1998. I stated that it should not be necessary to pay council members to attend meetings, since they are already drawing a salary for the carrying out of their functions. I further suggested that non-elected members would likely feel embarrassed by receiving payment for their services, since they were doing so as volunteers, and therefore no payment should be made for any attendance at committee meetings. The council of the day did not find this acceptable and approved payment of $60 per meeting for all committee members.

Once again, I suggest that council dispense with payment for committee work, for both council members and non-elected members. This proposal, if adopted, would, as noted by Mayor Franklin, save the township in the vicinity of $30,000 annually (close to $100,000 saving over a three-year term) – and would certainly enhance the respect the citizens have for their elected representatives and for the way in which the public funds are being carefully conserved.

Lionel Lustgarten / Kenyon ward

P.S. In response to questions about my comment concerning applicants not appointed to council committees, I had heard they were considered unsuitable. I have no information as to the reasons for this, as the decisions were made by council in camera, and were not published.

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Pre-Christmas sociability rises in village

MARTINTOWN

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The Martintown area is hopping with two major social events happening this Saturday night, Nov. 24. The choice will be difficult.

The Martintown Optimist Club is celebrating 10 years of service to our community with a dinner and dance at the Community Centre. If you haven't already reserved your dinner tickets you'll have to dine elsewhere and then arrive at 9 p.m. for an evening of dancing and socializing. Music will be provided by a DJ and everyone is welcome.

With St. Andrew's Day on the 25th, naturally the Glengarry Pipe Band has organised the St. Andrew's Ball at the Bonnie Glen for Saturday night as well. A social half hour will begin at 6:30, dinner at 7:00 and the dance at 9:00. The MacCulloch Dancers will be providing entertainment along with the Pipe Band, and Paddy Kelly will have everyone else up and dancing.

Tickets for the dinner and dance are $25 per person or $5 for the dance alone and are available from band members or Alison Murray at 528-4347 or Janice McLeod at 347-2144.

Parade planned

A Martintown Santa Claus Parade is being revived by some civic-minded individuals and will take place on Dec, 16. The parade will lead straight to the Santa party which the Optimist Club is organising at the Community Centre. Any group or family wishing to put a float into the parade is asked to call Karen Myers at 528-1263 or pop in to see her at the gas bar, or call Mike McDonell at 528-1065. Your participation is encouraged.

Christmas cards

While on the topic of Christmas and all, Canadian Save the Children, an organisation which funds programmes which aid children here in Canada and around the world, sells Christmas cards in support of their work. Grace Gordon, a local member of Save the Children, sells cards from her home and she can be reached at 347-2990.

Visits son

Mrs. Margaret Kennedy had a brief visit with her globe-trotting son, Colin Campbell last week when she and her other son, Stewart Campbell, drove to Dorval airport to be there while Colin awaited his flight to Vancouver. He was on his way home for a two week break from his work with the Alumina Company of Guinea West Africa, a trip which took a total of 40 hours from start to finish.

Public school

Students of Martintown Public School will be receiving their report cards on Monday, and interviews will be held on Nov. 29. There is a meeting of the school council in the morning of Monday at 11:30.

Goodtimers meeting

At the recent Goodtimers meeting it was decided to hold a Wednesday morning drop-in get-together at the Community Centre beginning at 10 a.m. on Nov. 28. Everyone is welcome to attend and be as active or inactive as you please. Games such as shuffleboard, darts, cribbage and cards are optional, but there will be coffee provided and knitting and stitching are possibilities. Depending on the response, this event could resume on a monthly basis in the new year.

Make a note that the Goodtimers will be celebrating the Christmas season with a pot luck luncheon on Dec. 12 at the Community Centre beginning at noon. All are welcome.

At the last meeting, Judy Dancause spoke to the attendees about the Agape Centre winter clothing drive. She expressed concern that even though the cold weather has not really hit us yet, the demand for warm winter clothing (coats, jackets, snowsuits, hats, scarves, mitts) and warm bedding (blankets, sleeping bags, pillows) has been very high. The employees of Agape are quite concerned that they will be unable to meet the need when the cold really hits. As a result, they are looking for gently loved winter clothing and warm bedding, and there is also a need for beds. It is shocking to learn that many people in our community are sleeping on the floor! All donations stay in the local community.

The Agape Centre is located at 231 McConnell Avenue in Cornwall, or if more convenient, people can call 938-9297 to organize a pickup of their donations.

Women's Institute

Fourteen members of the Bainsville Women's Institute were the guests at last week's Martintown Women's Institute meeting held at the Martintown Community Centre. There were 21 Martintown members present, including new members, Noreen Richer and Kathy O'Farrell, and three guests. Sylvia Thomson entertained everyone with a reading of twenty facts about aging, and a game concerning numbers and first and last letters of words produced the surprising outcome of kangaroos eating oranges in Denmark. The Bainsville guests were given delightful snowmen made by Sylvia from work socks filled with rice, and were also sent home with a jar of jelly.

The December meeting will be held on the 6th at The Cottage in Martintown.

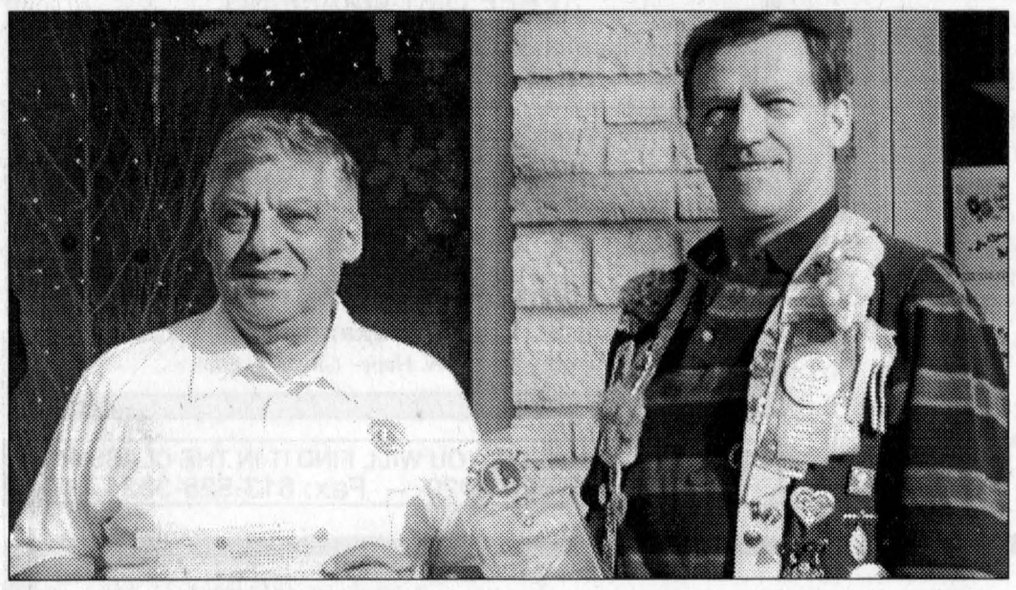
Duplicate Bridge

The Martintown Goodtimers Duplicate Bridge scores for Nov. 13 are as follows: North/South, 1. Henryk Rzepczyk and Allan McLeod, 2. Jean Forbes and Charles Lawn, 3. Jean Campbell and Jim Campbell. East/West, 1. Jacqueline Emburg and Del Roulston, 2. Isobel Quail and Penny McLeod, 3. Audrey Blair - John Roulston.

This week's Bingo Bridge winner was Claire Besner. The number one player in the Masterpoint race remains Joan Turner despite the fact she was unable to play in defence of her narrow lead. Joan is now closely followed by Jean and Jim Campbell with Penny McLeod in a strong fourth position. Coming up fast on the outside track are Audrey Blair, John Roulston, Henry Rzepczyk and Allan McLeod. In the also ran category are Muriel Smith, Don Crawford and Albert Leonard who are also hitting their stride. Bridge players are encouraged to arrive early next week and to be sure to have money in by 12:45 when the wickets close and the race begins. Do they really ride around on horseback on Tuesdays? Polo Bridge anyone?

More Bridge

The winners at the Monday afternoon bridge held at the Martintown Community Centre on Monday were Andre Bergevin, Jackie Trepanier and Rene Butler.



LIONS LAUNCH CHRISTMAS BASKET CAMPAIGN: The Alexandria Lions Club has launched its 2001 Christmas basket fundraising campaign. Funds go towards baskets for needy families with children. Approximately 100 families benefit from the Christmas baskets. Part of the fundraising is in the form of a 50/50 draw. Tickets are $10 each, and are available from Lions Club members, Barbara's Men's Wear, Town and Country Flowers and Gifts, Hope Jewellers and B & B Food Market. The early bird draw will take place Dec. 8. The 50/50 draw as well as draws for gift certificates will take place Dec. 22. Donations for the Christmas basket campaign can be mailed to Alexandria Lions Club, P.O. Box 264, Alexandria ON, K0C 1A0. KRISTINA MICHAUD PHOTO

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Snowmobile club members will police trails

Police Briefs

Snowmobilers should be aware that new patrol officers will be on the trails this winter. The new program, called STOP (Snowmobile Trail Officer Patrol) involves volunteer snowmobilers from local snowmobile clubs who want to increase snowmobile safety. The volunteers will be trained by SDG OPP and will be sworn in as Special Constables.

SDG OPP and the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs signed the Protocol Agreement to form STOP on Nov. 13 in Morrisburg. The agreement covers all of SDG.

The Special Constables will work with the OPP in educating other snowmobilers on safety concerns and will also promote voluntary compliance with snowmobile laws under the Motorized Snow Vehicle Act. They will also provide an increased sense of security and safety to the snowmobiling community.

STOP officers will have the same powers as a police officer under the Motorized Snow Vehicle Act. They will be able to stop snowmobilers and check for their drivers' licences, registration and insurance, issue tickets for infractions under the Motorized Snow Vehicle Act and assist OPP with sobriety spot checks.

Boat trailer stolen

A boat trailer was removed for the yard of a Beaupre Road residence in South Glengarry between Nov. 12 and 13.

The trailer is described as 26' long, white with blue pin-striping, double axle, mag wheels, 48 rollers. The trailer is valued at $5,500.

Constable D. Bissonnette is investigating.

Thieves steal snowblowers

Each week Crime Stoppers spotlights a crime that has been committed in the area.

Crime Stoppers would like to remind you that we need information on all crimes, not just the crime of the week.

We are asking for your help in solving the theft of three snowblowers from the Canadian Tire store in Alexandria on Nov. 15.

Two males in a dark-coloured van are believed to be involved.

One suspect is heavy-set and the other has an average build and dark hair. Both are in their late 20s.

A single stage Lawnboy 6.5 horsepower and two 8 horsepower two stage Lawnboy snowblowers were taken from a display in front of the store.

If you have information on this or any other crime, please call Crime Stoppers at 937-8477 or toll-free at 1-800-265-8477.

Theft of boat motor

Sometime in the past two weeks, a boat motor was removed from a rental business in Curry Hill. The outboard motor is a 75 horsepower Mariner.

Constable P. Robertson is investigating.

OPP occurrences (Nov. 12-18)

Motor vehicle accidents:	
Property damage	9
Personal injury	1
Traffic calls	26
General complaints	30
Criminal investigations	9
Criminal Code charges	1
Traffic charges	88
RIDE setups	0
Impaired charges	0
12-hour suspensions	0
False alarms	15



PALACE BRUNCH: Residents of the Palace Retirement Home enjoyed a brunch on Oct. 28, thanks to the efforts of many volunteers, which included staff of La Soupière, local OPP officers, Ron MacDonell and Jean Lajoie. During the brunch, residents filled bags of Halloween treats for the day care centre. Pictured here are some of the people responsible for the successful event, including bottom row, from left, Palace retirement counsellor Nicole Bourbonnais, Carole Pelletier, Nicole Gauthier and Gilles Gauthier. Top row, from left, Constable Daniel Bissonette, Constable Joel Doiron and Sergeant Paul Sabourin. Door prizes were won by Marguerite Lefebvre, Fr. Marcel Larouche, Claire Huot, Pierrette Bray and Henriette Gauthier. Rita St-Denis won the 50-50 draw. SUBMITTED PHOTO

Glengarry townships get recycling money

The LCBO has mailed cheques totalling $4 million to 173 Ontario communities to cover costs associated with recycling beverage containers through the blue box system in 2001.

The funding allocated to each community is based on a formula that considers the reported total glass tonnage collected by that community and the community's per household recovery rate.

The Township of North Glengarry will receive $4,571 for its 122 tonnes of glass recycled, while South Glengarry will get $3,344 for 94 tonnes. In comparison, the city of Cornwall recycled 368 tonnes of glass and will get $13,142.

In addition to the $4 million in direct funding to the community, a one-time payment of $1 million will help establish Waste Diversion Ontario under the proposed Waste Diversion Act.

Under the proposed act, Waste Diversion Ontario will develop, implement and fund waste diversion programs across Ontario. Its first task will be to establish a funding organization to set and collect fees from industry to pay 50 per cent of the net costs of municipal blue box programs.

Poirier Furniture expands store and selection

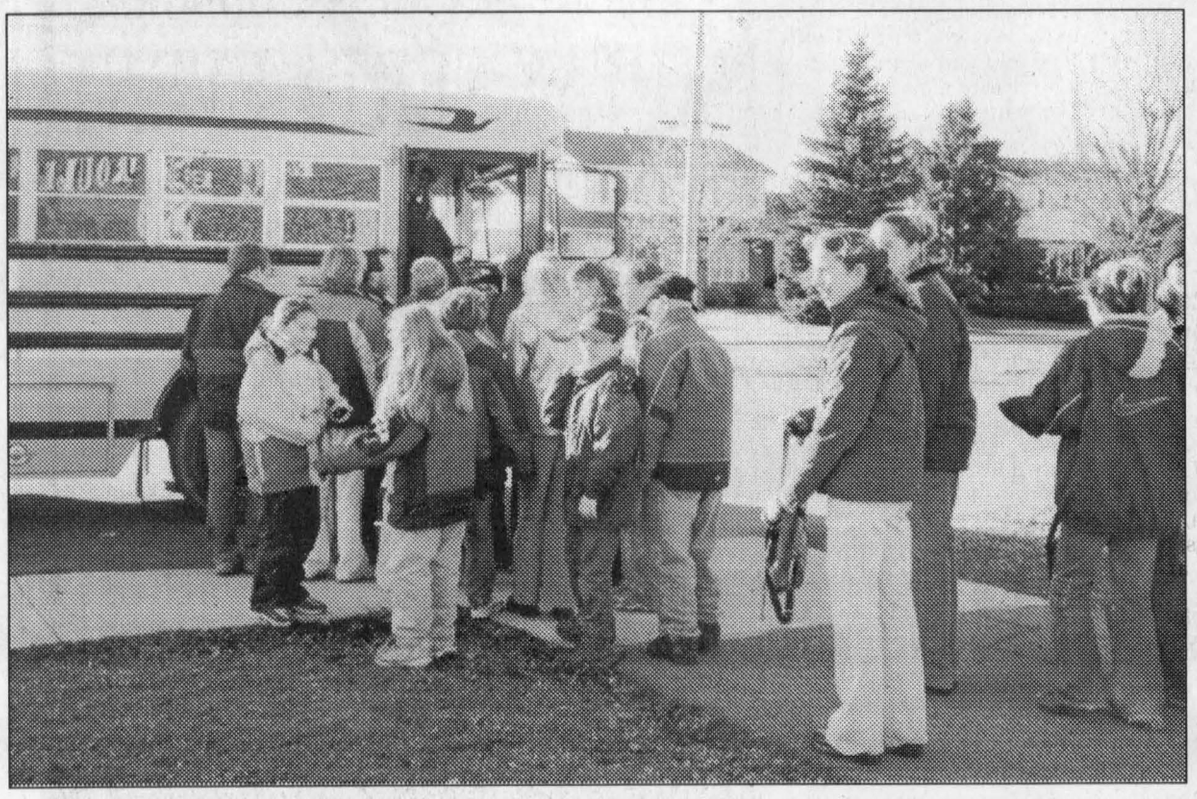
Cornwall's Poirier Furniture has just expanded its store, and now offers many new lines.

The Montreal Road store is locally owned and independent, meaning that customers can be assured of the best value for their dollar.

In business for over 60 years, Poirier Furniture is pleased to announce that due to the expansion, additional staff have been hired to better serve its loyal clientele.

To show its appreciation to those customers, Poirier Furniture gives back to the community through its involvement in fundraising events for Special Olympics, the SDG Children's Treatment Centre, and many other worthy causes.

With all the services and items this store offers, it's a convenient place to shop.



GOING FOR A RIDE: Students from all four Alexandria elementary schools were treated to a trip to Ottawa on Nov. 11 by the Alexandria Optimist Club in honour of Youth Appreciation Week. The group of 74 kids was accompanied by 20 adults. They took in an Imax movie and had supper at McDonald's. The kids are either members of the Junior Optimists or volunteers within their schools. Here, a group of children waits for their turn to get on one of the buses, driven by Ivan Viau and Robert Tremblay. The trip was primarily organized by Lyne Leduc and Sue Poirier, ambassadors for the Junior Optimists. SUBMITTED PHOTO



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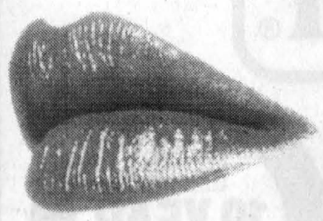

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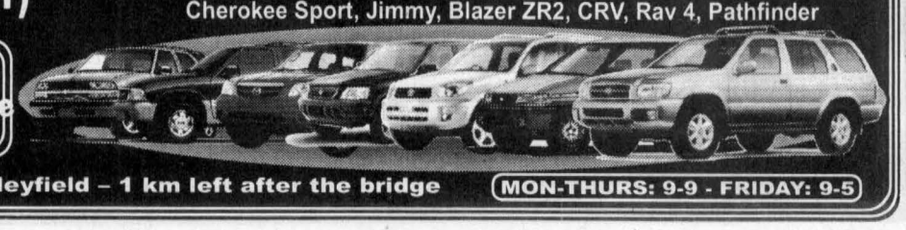

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Local couple volunteers in Thailand

By Kristina Michaud
News Reporter

Bill and Susan Gilsdorf of North Glengarry want to do their part to make the world a little better.

As a result, the couple is on their way to Thailand to work as volunteers.

"We've gotten so much," Mr. Gilsdorf said, "now we want to give back."

The Gilsdorfs will begin their six month journey to the Far East in Japan, where they will join Blair and Jean Williams, also Alexandria area residents.

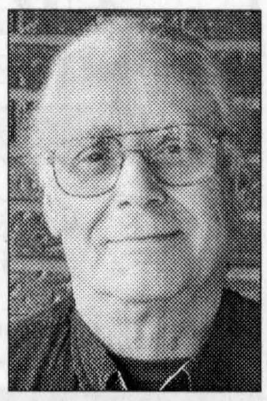
"We'll work at their institution for a couple of weeks, then we'll go on to China and then to northern Thailand, where we'll be for four and a half months."

Mr. and Mrs. Gilsdorf have been to various countries in Europe, and have even lived there, but neither has been to the Far East.

"There's a whole other culture there we want to experience," Mr. Gilsdorf said.

"We want to immerse ourselves in it."

While they have many worthy projects to choose from, the Gilsdorfs are undecided.



Bill Gilsdorf



Susan Joiner

"There's a women's centre in Bangkok we're interested in. In the north, there's a drug rehabilitation centre in the CIDA refugee camps. We might work there. Susan is trained as a psychotherapist, so she could use her skills there."

There is one project, however, that has particularly attracted Mr. Gilsdorf, a former instructor in communications at Concordia University.

"The project that interests me the most is providing media training for people in the Burmese refugee network."

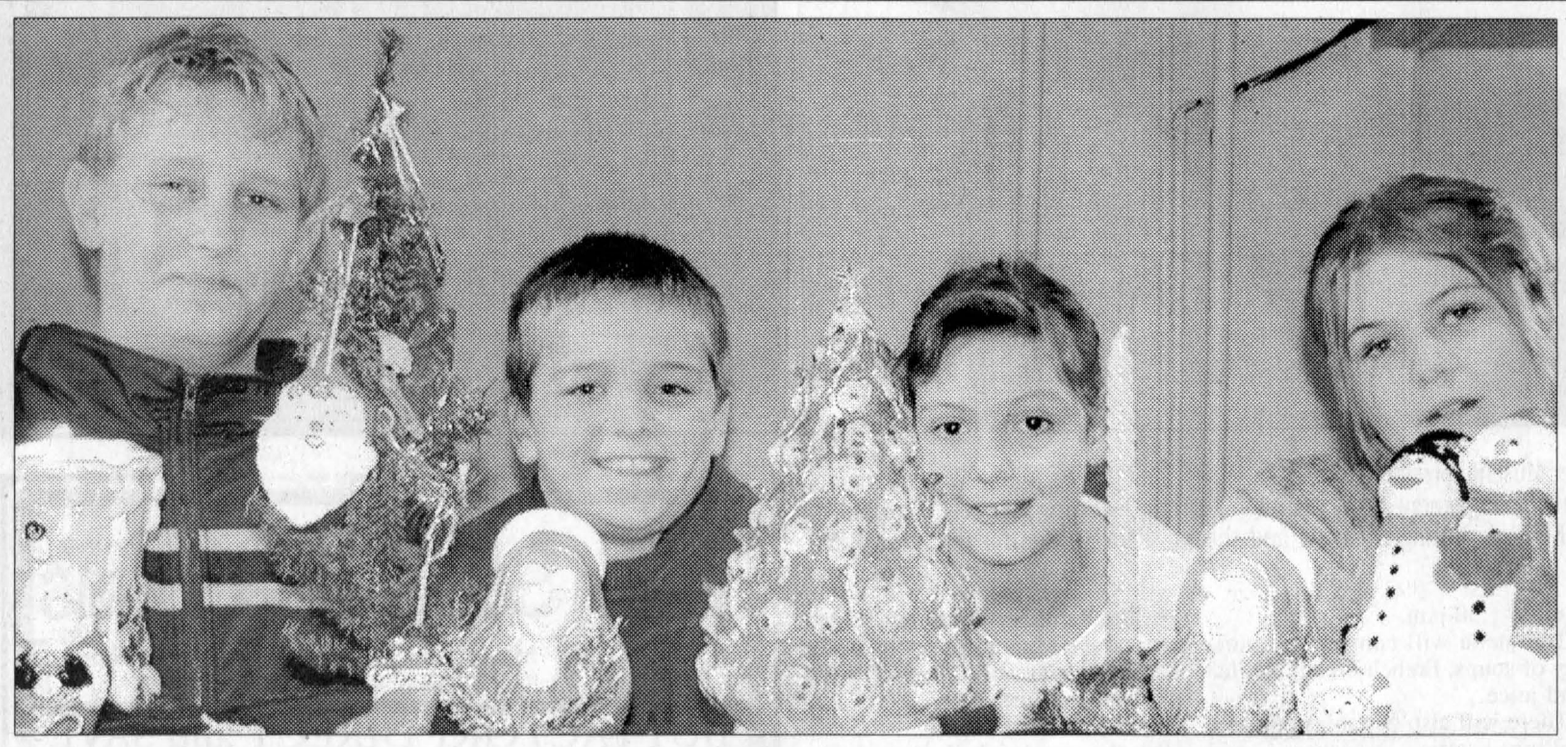
While in the Far East, the Gilsdorfs will also make time to visit Nepal, and the Child Haven International orphanages located there.

"We're very strong supporters of the Cappuccinos and the work they do," said Mr. Gilsdorf.

Once their volunteer work is finished, the Gilsdorfs will head west before their return to Canada, making their journey a veritable trip around the world.

"We haven't spent much time in Eastern and Central Europe, behind the former so-called Iron Curtain. So we'll go there. And we have a son who lives in Paris. We're going to visit him too."

The Gilsdorfs left on Monday and plan to return in June.



YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS: People of all ages took advantage of the Martintown craft and bake sale on Nov. 10. From left: Ryan Oud, Mikey Blais, Ambra Duval and Melissa Blais lent a helping hand selling these Christmas ornaments. PHOTO TODD ANDERSON

Francophone health professionals in high demand

It is no secret that there is a shortage of health care workers across the country, but the need is particularly high in the francophone communities of Eastern Ontario.

Studies conducted by the Réseau des services de santé en français de l'est de l'Ontario indicate a need to publicize the opportunities in health care to francophone high school students, and their teachers, guidance counsellors and parents.

Other studies show that Ontario falls short at producing a sufficient number of francophone health care workers to meet the demand.

The organization feels that guidance counsellors need to be better informed about careers in health care in order to encourage high school students to pursue them.

The Réseau has therefore launched a project called, "Une carrière en santé? J'y pense..." (A career in health care? I'm thinking about it...) in order to encourage high school and even elementary school students to consider careers in health.

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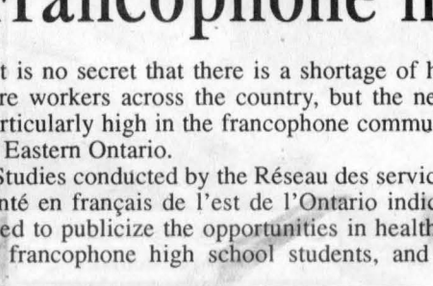


Great new lines along with the same wonderful service is what Poirier Furniture is all about. The newest promotion is "Coming Home for Christmas," which gives people the chance to win various prizes valued over $12,000. The promotion began November 8th, 2001 and is in conjunction with Variety 104.5.

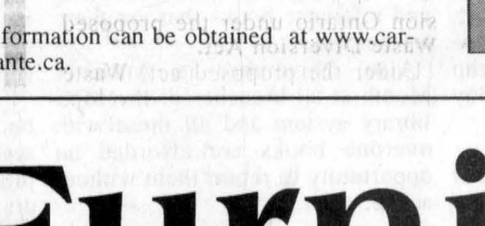
"This is the biggest event of the year for us and the biggest Christmas event for Variety," remarked Poirier Furniture Manager Al Lavallee. "First prize will be a living room ensemble valued over $6,000 which includes a Decor-Rest sofa and chair, a La-Z-Boy recliner, a Pallizer wall unit, Ashley coffee and end tables, an RCA 32" television with a digital Prologic sound system. Second prize is a South American trip for two worth $2,000 with $500 spending money, and the third prize, a Serta Concept III bed complete with head and foot board, valued over $1,500." Poirier Furniture has again gone out of their way organizing this event by selecting the location of the Ramada Inn. The event will be held on December 20th, 2001 and will be catered by the fine Ramada Inn staff. There also will be $2,500 in cash prizes and surprise draws to be won that evening.

"At last year's event, we had over 1,400 participants," concluded Al Lavallee. "This year we hope to exceed that with people coming from eastern Ontario, western Quebec and northern New York. Also during this season we are offering with any purchase of a Serta Perfect Sleeper set, the chance to win your purchase. Customers who buy any appliance have a chance to win a new Hotpoint or Whirlpool microwave oven and with any electronic purchase, our customers have a chance to win a $200 shopping spree at Simon and Sherrol's No Frills grocery store."

For over 60 years, generations of families have come to Poirier Furniture for their selection of quality brand-name home furnishings and electronic technology.

Outstanding low prices are one of the key factors to Poirier Furniture's success throughout the years.

"There was a time when people would buy economically to save money," said Mr. Lavallee.





"People now realize you get what you pay for. Consumers have turned to spending a little extra on quality home furnishings which satisfies their need for a longer period of time."

Being a locally owned independent store, Poirier Furniture can quickly adjust to the needs and requests of its clientele by continually upgrading the store and their product lines. Already the largest La-Z-Boy and Decor-Rest dealer east of Ottawa, their even-expanding showroom also carries names like Palliser, Ashley and Buhler furnishings.

"Leather furnishings have become very affordable and are a great alternative to cloth," stated Poirier's manager.

And what would a furniture store be without an electronics division. Theirs consists of Kenwood, RCA, Bell ExpressVu, and Energy to supply their customers' home entertainment needs.

"Another new addition to our product lines is the Bell ExpressVu satellite system," declared Mr. Lavallee. "In our sound and home theatre display room, our trained personnel can show customers the difference between a $599 digital system or the more expensive entertainment system."

With renovation plans for the new year on a kitchen centre, Poirier Furniture carries a generous selection of GE, Whirlpool, Inglis, Moffat and Hotpoint appliances. Customers can also get a good night's sleep with their selection of Serta beds and mattresses. With this wide choice of stock, Poirier Furniture even offers a unique in-store financing service.

"We don't disparage against people who are on a fixed income," added Lavallee. "We tailor financing to the individual needs of our customers and carry our own accounts without going to an outside agency. We prefer to teach our customers the money management game. Whether they require a short term setup or a long term revolving account, our focus is to help the customer afford their purchases and be able to walk away feeling satisfied they can handle it in their lives. We are not here to take extra money from our clientele, we want to assist them."

Another pleasure of shopping at Poirier Furniture is their knowledgeable and friendly sales team. These non-commission professionals simply want to help customers with their "no pressure" outlook on service. Clientele will feel welcome from the time they enter until the time they leave and will not have to deal with a pushy salesperson..

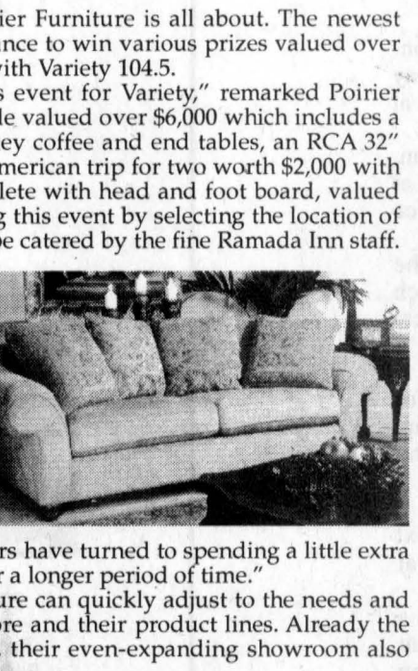
"We want satisfied customers who get the best products for the best prices and not be pressured into it," expressed Al Lavallee. "We recently finished our year-end and found our sales have increased again. Our appreciation goes to all our customers who, over the last three years, have increased our sales substantially."

Their increased sales revenue could be due to their new product lines, the superior product quality, the new renovated look, bigger showroom space, increased professional staff, and prompt next day free delivery with setup.

Another positive aspect is that Poirier Furniture is very involved within the community. They participate in various fundraising events such as the Torch Run Chad Kilger Open to support the Special Olympics, the Hotel Dieu Religious Hospital Fundraising Campaign, SDG Children's Treatment Centre, and others.

"We believe, because we are locally owned, it is to our benefit to support the community that supports us."

So whether you're in the market for quality household furniture, appliances or home entertainment equipment – Poirier Furniture is the only stop you need to make!



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'SHARP' REFLECTION: Glengarry Pioneer Museum president Bonnie Laing, left, and Doreen Ashton Wagner, chair of the North Glengarry Community Economic Development Group, admire a mirror, featuring fake teeth, created by Laing's former museum curator Brenda Kennedy during the wine and cheese, silent auction for the Asian Rural Institute.

The fundraiser held on Friday night by the members of St. Michael and All Angels Anglican church for the Asian Rural Institute in Japan was an overwhelming success according to Carma Williams. It is her parents, Jean and Blair Williams, who are volunteering there for one year.

There were around 150 people at the Glengarry Curling Club and over $5,000 was raised for the work of the Institute that trains individuals from underdeveloped countries.

People mixed well for the social time and bid generously during the silent auction for the items, some impressive, that were offered for sale.

The music provided by the 14-piece band was also enjoyed.

The organizers wish to publicly thank all those who donated the items or services and of course, those who supported this venture.

Moving

Kay Fjarlie and her late husband, Robin, moved to Athol about 35 years ago and were active members of the community over the years. For a long time, ceramic classes were offered at their farmstead and many fine pieces are still seen in area homes.

Now, Mrs. Fjarlie has made the decision to move to Nova Scotia to be near her daughter, Marina, and family and her son, Roy, and Nancy have taken over the farm and are living there.

We say fond farewell to Kay, wish her well in her new home and thank her for her contributions to the community over the years. At the same time, although they have been there for a while, we officially welcome Roy and Nancy.

Kay is living near Bridgewater at RR 2, Mill Village with the postal code, B0J 2H0.

Into village

Marie and Roger Aubin have officially moved to the village from their former Dyer home. Their home now is on Mechanic Street W., and was purchased from the Ernest Besner estate.

Mrs. Aubin taught French at our public school for many years and is now retired and not living in a rural setting for the first time.

Her husband has not retired and will continue to operate his Roger Aubin Burner Service.

We welcome this couple to the village.

Visiting

Cathy (nee MacLean) and Jim Lynn of Ottawa were in the village last week and had lunch at the Chieftain with their relatives, Helen Hunter and Eileen Scott.

Also on Saturday, Mrs. Hunter's sister, Ruth Routliff from Orleans, spent the day with her.

Big gathering

A native of the village but a resident of Allan's Corners near Howick, Que., for many years, Isabel Frith Templeton, entertained 84 relatives and friends at an afternoon reception in Ormstown, Sunday afternoon.

Guests included Ethel Hughes Coleman, St. Timothee, and from here, Agnes, Mary and Glenn Campbell, Verna MacGregor, Eileen Scott and Lorna and Gordon Winter.

95th

Last week, George Baxter celebrated his 95th birthday at Chateau Gardens on the outskirts of Lancaster.

His wife, Ellen, is also a resident and joined in the celebration along with their son, John and his wife Suzanne, their daughter, Jean Clair, and their granddaughter, Janet Baxter.

We wish Mr. Baxter, a long-time resident of the 5th Con. Roxborough, continued good health and contentment.

Sympathies

Barry Fitzgerald died on Nov. 8 out in Summerland, B.C. He grew up here and clerked in his father's store for some time.

Our sympathy goes to his wife, Sadie, his daughter, Maureen McGinn, and his two sisters, Velma Franklin and Sheila Leroy and their families.

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Dorothy Stangle died unexpectedly in hospital last Thursday.

She and her family had been residents of Dominionville for many years.

Our sympathy goes to her husband, Art, a retired member of the Manor staff, her daughters, Janet Sabourin, Maxville, and Cathy Dow, Metcalfe, and her son, Ron Hotton, at home, as well as to her five grandchildren.

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Finally, after a lingering illness that was accepted with a strong will and brave heart, Archie MacGregor died at his home at Tayside on Sunday. He had lived there all his life. Our sympathy goes to his wife, Lorna, his five children, Susan, Sharon, Scott, Steve and Stewart and their families as well as to his sister, Jean MacGregor, and his brothers, Roy and Ken, and their families.

Too young

Deaths always bring sadness but when one dies at the age of 24, the grief is deeper.

This was the case when Janna Munro Boivin died suddenly on the 18th. Our sympathy goes to her husband Ronald, her parents, Susan, who is a staff member at Scotiabank, here, and Donald Munro, her brother, James, her grandparents, Muriel and Isaac Munro and all the other relatives. Janna's paternal grandparents were the late Lily and Dan Munro of Pigeon Hill.

St. Andrew's Day

The Glengarry Pipe Band is sponsoring its annual St. Andrew's Day dinner and dance this Saturday at the Bonnie Glen.

The event will start at 6.30 p.m. with a social hour and the dinner at 7.00. Dancing will commence around 9 o'clock.

Patty Kelly will provide the music and the MacCulloch Dancers will be the guest entertainers.

Ask around.

There are many selling tickets for this popular evening of feasting, celebration, entertainment and dancing.

Diners' Club

Next week, on the 28th, the next Diners' Club meal will be served at the Manor at 5.00 p.m.

This time, the theme will be a Greek one, and the entertainment will be provided by a barbershop quartet.

Reservations must be made with Margaret Fraser at 527-2170, ext. 237 by Nov. 26.

This is the first event under the SOS program that Margaret is organizing and a large attendance will indicate to her how much the seniors of the area appreciate the program.

Bazaar

The A.C.W. of St. Michael and All Angels Anglican Church is holding its fall bazaar and soup luncheon this Saturday from 11 a.m. to 1;30 p.m.

The menu will consist of a variety of soups, French bread, pie, tea and juice.

There will also be tables of home baking, attic treasures and Christmas decorations made by the Sunday school children.

The cost is $5 for adults, $3 for children and those under six years are free.

Open house

There will be an Open House at the Maxville Library from 7 to 8 p.m. on Nov 29. There will be prizes and refreshments in case you require additional encouragement to visit our library and see the great supply of reading material and reference books that are there for our use.

Also, November is Amnesty Month at all branches of the SDG library system and all those with overdue books are afforded an opportunity to return them without a fine.

Bridge

At the Saturday afternoon bridge party at the Manor, top scores were held by Joanne Sabo, Perry Downs and Barbara Surtees.

Bird Watch

On the weekend, I started my official bird count for Bird Watch, Canada. It will run every two weeks over two days until March 23, 24, 2002.

Apparently, there is a disease in the house finches and a record of these birds is requested.

Last winter, the birds which were counted in the greatest numbers at feeders in Ontario were the black-capped chickadee, blue jay, mourning dove, downy woodpecker, American goldfinch, dark-eyed junco, European starling, northern cardinal, house finch and the house (English) sparrow.

I haven't seen the crossbill back but read that these birds like the seeds of pine and spruce cones and piling these cones near your feeders will be a way to attract them for viewing.

Record number collected for blind



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Catherine McIlwain reports a record $925 collected in Dunvegan area for this year's Canadian Institute for the Blind canvass. A big "thank you" to all those who were so generous with their donations and with their time collecting.

Overhead

When Bill and I were in Cornwall recently, we watched a large double rotor helicopter clatter by overhead. When he commented that it looked like a Sea King, I wondered where it might be going. His answer was "It's probably going down!"

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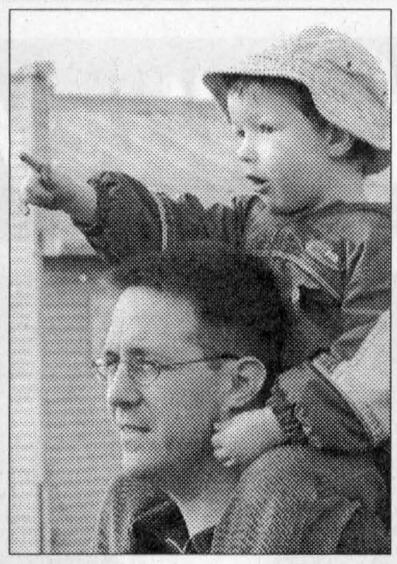


WORTH WAITING FOR: YouthUNLtd's Biblical scene entry won Honourable Mention among the judges. From left are YouthUNLtd's program director Phil Benjamin, Rachel Phillips, Amanda Rivers, Deanna MacCuaig, Maggie McDonald and Jenna McRae. Top photo, Maxville's Matthew Dykstra, 3, perches atop father Robert Dykstra's shoulders as the parade nears. GREG PEERENBOOM PHOTOS

Warm Maxville welcomes Santa Claus

BY GORDON WINTER
News Correspondent and *News* Staff

The weather was ideal for the Santa Claus parade here on Sunday and everything went exceptionally well. There were 13 entries including one with the ever popular horses.

The parking area at the Manor provided the assembly point and before the parade left for the village, it circled up to the front door of the Manor so that the residents could enjoy it first.

The float with the Murray Highland Dancers took liberties and stopped there and treated the residents to one of their dance numbers.

"The weather was superb," said parade committee member Carma Williams.

"It was warm and sunny and I think that's why we had such a good turnout. I don't think there has ever been so many people on Main Street."

The Murray float was also awarded first prize. The 1st Maxville Scouts, assisted by the Brownies and Beavers, earned second prize and St. Michael and All Angels Anglican Church received the third prize. Honourable mention went to the entry of Youth UNLtd.

The judges were North Glengarry Councillor George Currier, Reid Stephenson and Keith Jack.

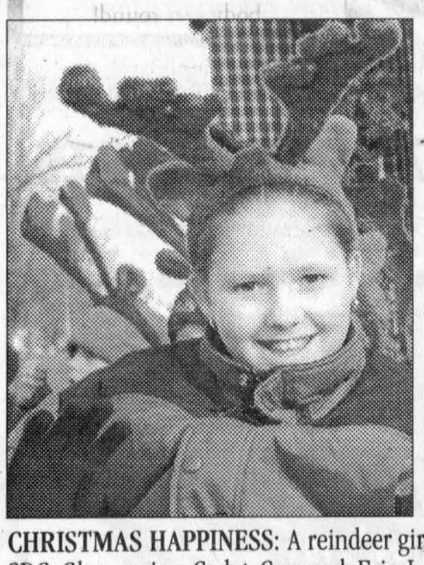
"We would always like it a bit higher," Ms. Williams said. We seem to get new entries every year but some leave as well. Considering the size of the community and the number of businesses here I think we had a great turnout."

The Lions Club was ready for the children at the Sports Complex hall with over 40 dozen hot dogs but this supply ran out! It was estimated that there were about 350 children and adults there and Santa Claus heard everyone out.

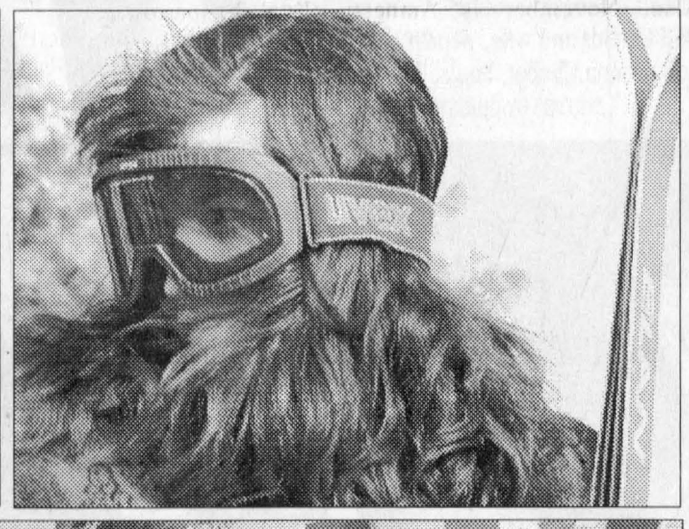
Special appreciation goes to the Maxville and District Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring this annual parade.



CANDIES GALORE: Top, Ewing MacQueen, left, and Cody MacDonald had the assembly line task of getting candy canes ready for members of the Maxville Fire Department. Bottom, a participant on the Maxville Recreation Association float didn't need a hat!







CHRISTMAS HAPPINESS: A reindeer girl waves to the crowd, left. SDG Glengarrian Cadet Corporal Eric LeBlanc dutifully took his turn on Santa's lap after the parade.





GIVING AND SHOWING: Left photo, Sheena Hillier, left, hands out candies to spectators, from right, Janelle Cardinal, her brother Zachary and mother Josee. Members of the Maxville Recreation entry portrayed a patriotic side.

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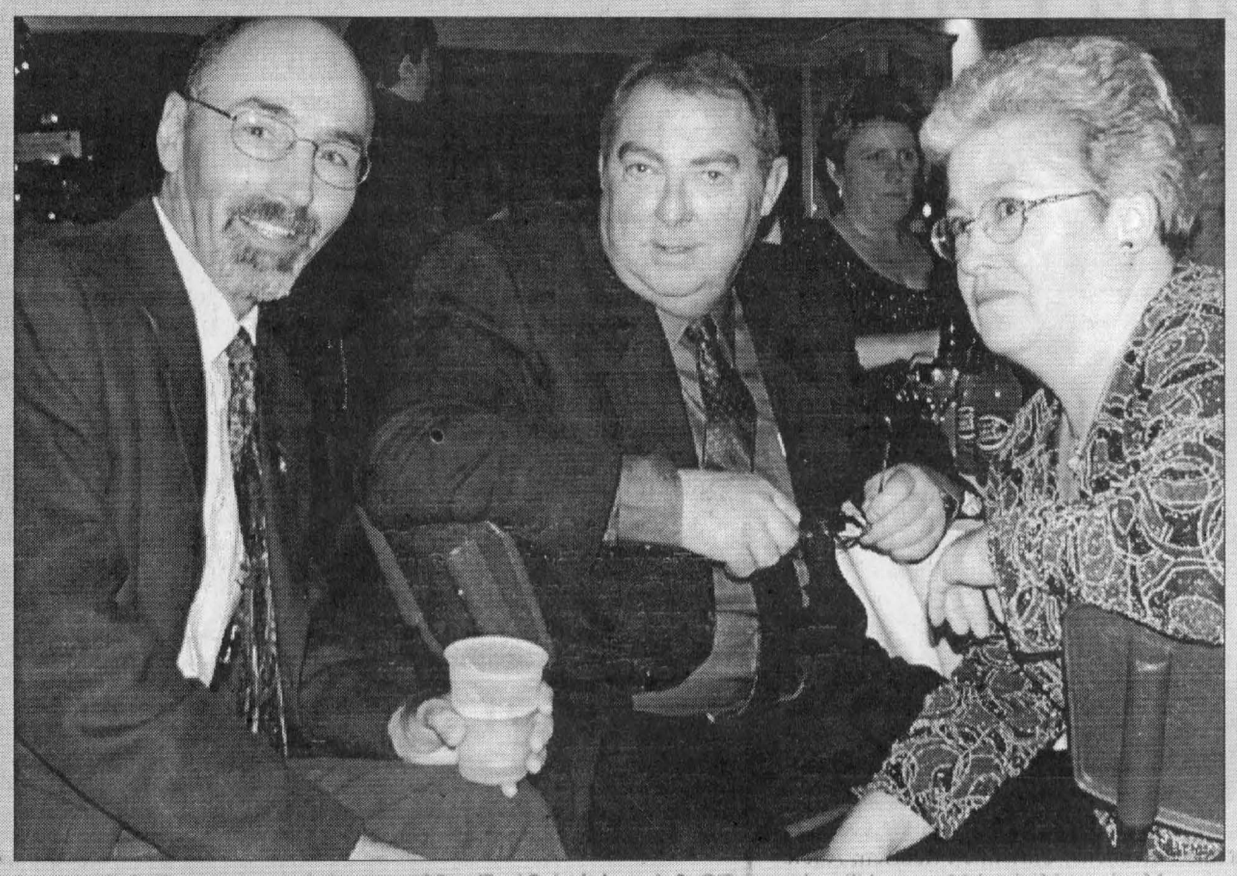
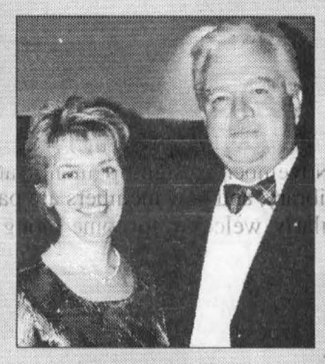
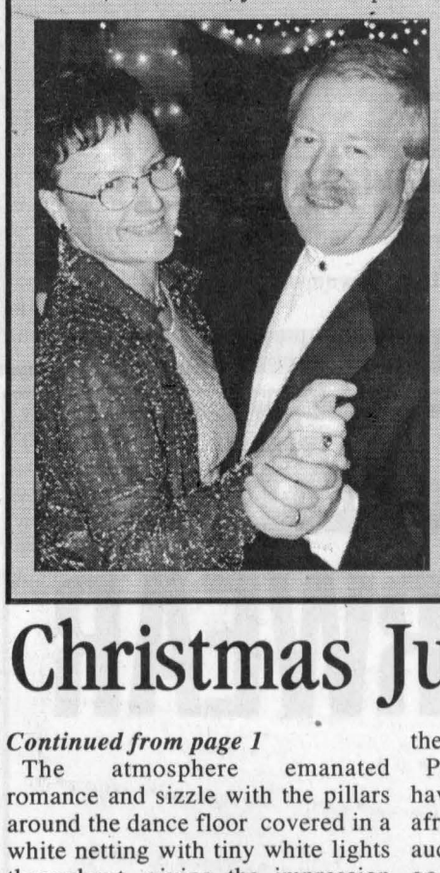
FAMILY AND FUN: Left, Vivian DaPratto and daughter-in-law, Corina, share a moment. Above, there was more on Claire Charbonneau's plate (middle) than just the gala dinner. She was surprised by the delivery of a Subway sandwich, courtesy of Bob and Anita Alinotte, local franchise owners. The surprise was orchestrated by a fellow chamber member.







HOSPITAL AND COMMUNITY: Clockwise from above, Hospital Chief Executive Officer, Kurt Pristanski, chats with board member Gary Shepherd and wife Colleen. Mr. Shepherd is also a member of North Glengarry council. At right, Helene Faubert as 'Pearl Harbour'; centre right, Glengarry Highland Games President Bill Shields and wife, Wendy; bottom right, North Glengarry Deputy-mayor William Hagen and wife, Carmelle; centre below, Donna Chabot, Louise Rochon, Louise Racine; bottom left, Jubilee chairperson Barry MacDonald with wife Mary. PHOTOS BY CHRISTINE FRIPP MURRAY







Christmas Jubilee brings holiday cheer early

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The atmosphere emanated romance and sizzle with the pillars around the dance floor covered in a white netting with tiny white lights throughout, giving the impression of snow glistening all around the dance floor and adding to the enchanting atmosphere.

With the lights on low and the music supplied by 'Mystic' on high, the mood was set for the 170 fun-seekers to enjoy the party with friends and colleagues.

The evening began with crowd-pleaser Helene Faubert arriving in the person of 'Pearl Harbour.' She established a fashion statement with an outfit created by 'St. Vincent de Paul,' featuring a hat with the price tag still attached, in the spirit of Minnie Pearl.

Pearl encouraged one and all to have a good time and not to be afraid to spend some money at the auction, which raised funds for a good cause, the Glengarry Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Fundraising was the momentum behind the raffles and auction. Mr. MacDonald explained that monies raised in previous years went to diabetes research, but for the last two years they have gone to the Hospital Auxiliary.

Mr. MacDonald feels hospitals need money and it is a good cause to support our own local hospital.

"We have a great facility here and we should help them," he said.

Two raffles were organized for the weekend. One held during the gala dinner had 15 festive prizes such as Christmas table decorations and wreaths.

The prizes in the other draw included a six-foot Victorian Santa with mink trim on his cape, won by Roch Boisvenue, a DVD player, which went to Donat Wissel and two tickets for a Senators game, won by Maxime Leblanc.

Numerous decorated trees

The numerous decorator Christmas trees for the auction were beautifully displayed along two walls with the raffle prizes interspersed among them.

Any unsold items from the auction were to be raffled at the community spaghetti supper on Sunday evening.

"Everything was gone Saturday. We didn't have any items to add to the raffle," Mr. MacDonald said.

"The auction was lots of fun. There were some neat items, and a lot of active bidding."

Mr. MacDonald is very pleased with the Jubilee weekend, which also included a Breakfast with Santa on Saturday morning and the spaghetti supper, both of which were enjoyed by about 150 people.

"Everything was well attended," he said.

"We have a lot of fun doing this, and people have a lot of fun participating. It's a great way to raise money for the auxiliary. It's better than just selling raffle tickets or asking for straight donations, because people get to participate in the fundraising."

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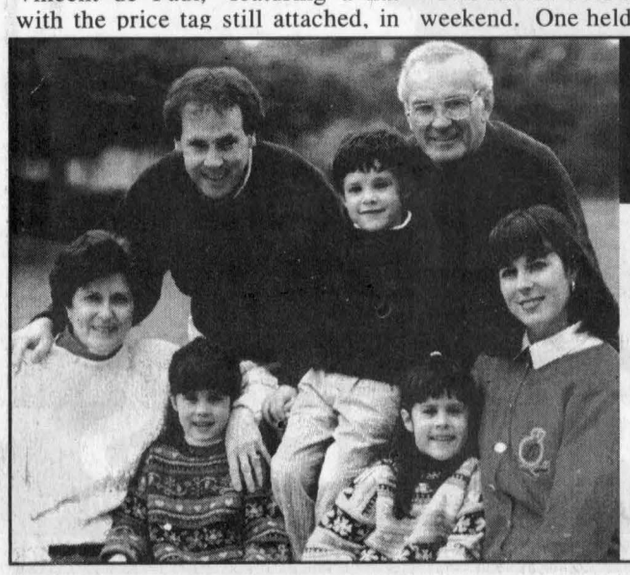

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Char-Lan honour roll scholars announced



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Char-Lan has announced its honour roll scholars for the mid-term of the first semester.

In a little change, students who obtained over 75 percent are now included. This marks a return to the old days, when inclusion on the honour roll was accorded to anyone posting an average of 74.5 or higher.

Perhaps the next move will be a return to including the actual numerical averages and listing the students in order of achievement! Opponents can say what they like, but such recognition certainly spurred some students to higher levels of achievement.

Guess we'll just have to wait and see! In the meantime, congratulations to the following on their accomplishments.

Grade nines who had over 80 percent included Laura Bicknell, Margaret Cattanach, Stephen Dalby, Adrian Eykens, Hannah Humphries, Rachel Jalbert, Kevin Johnston, Ashley Kenny, Nada Kovinich, Laura Lavallee, Matthew Leishman, Chelsea McDonell, Jessica Nysten, Sapphire Padron-Van Loon, Kathleen Peddell, Christopher Richard, Justin Robert, Victoria Schaefer, Kaitlyn Tierney, Brent Van Loon and April Warden.

Grade nines receiving 75 percent (plus) were: Matthew Abraham, Sarah Abraham, Tim Bell, Erica Cleary, Bryce Cumming, Carrigan Desjardins, Andrew Donkers, Christena Edwardson, David Hallett, Adam Kluver, Michael Jans, Kyle Laframboise, Kyle MacGillivary, Ryan MacMillan, Tim McKay, Doug Mintzer, Michelle Murray, Brian Perjul, Michael Rattray, and Kaylah Wheeler.

Grade 10 (over 80 percent): Janine Bell, Willy De Wit, Jessica Dupuis, Sarah Hay, Kaitlin Hones, Michelle LeBlance, Bradley MacCulloch, Ashley Smith and Kim Tessier.

Grade 10 (over 75 percent): Alicia Alepins, Stephanie Cleary, William Conway, Alicia Cumming, Peter Eykens, Mallory Goldring, Mark Lapierre, Kyle MacDonald, Kimberly Sloan, Blake Stidwill, Stephano Zoppas.

Grade 11 (over 80 percent): Kristen Govers, Megan McIntosh, Nicole Melnyk, Lisa Migneault, Megan Reasbeck, Naomi Servage, and Mallory Wereley.

Grade 11 (over 75 percent): Debbie Elsey, Victoria Hamilton, Alyth Kersley, Wayne Lee, Amy Moore, Katie Munro, Samantha Oxley, Amelie Palmer, Allison Villandre and Cassandra Zoppas.

Grade 12 (over 80 percent): Sean Batty, Renee Beaupre, Chrystal Bridson, Marie-Josee Brunet, Jason Cardinal, Bobbi-Lee Chatelaine, Virginia Donkers, Sarah Evans, Megan Flaro, Emily Higginson, Aimee Holla, Kris Hones, Jenny Larkin, Kevin Larocque, Melissa McDonald, Dean Melnyk, Katrina Payer, David Pilon, Juliana Richard, Robb Schaefer, Allison Smart, Phil Touchette.

Grade 12 (over 75 percent): Melissa Devine, Sarah Fournier, Steven Jarvo, Johan Kristofers, Ryan Lalonde, Gary Lee, Jennifer MacCulloch, Jonathan Mallish, Jennifer Overbury, Trevor Smith, Melissa Tierney, and Christie VanderBurg.

OAC (over 80 percent): Annie-Laurie Contant, Kylie Cumming, Josee Giroux, Edward Hadzocos, Calla Humphries, Stacy Lafave, Chelsea Legault, Erin Levere, Melissa McKay, Emily Nysten, Michael O'Farrell, Janice Poirier, Grace Rawnsley, Teresa Renaud, Heather Robertson, Alexandra Rose, Terri-Lynn Tessier, Melissa Van Loon, Katie Whitford.

OAC (over 75 percent): Brian Brownlee, Justin King, Lee-Anne Quenneville, Jordan Reasbeck, Amanda St. Louis and Kim Warden.

Make note

You will note that there is a huge jump betweeen the number of Grade 11s who are on the roll, and the number of Grade 12s. Some would say that this reflects the difficulty of the new curriculum for the Grade 11s.

If this trend continues, it should make that double cohort year mighty interesting!

Looking for help

Have just had a call from Anne Ward over at the arena.

Anne is looking for some volunteers to help her with the new Indoor Youth Activity Program starting soon at the Char-Lan Recreation Centre.

The program, which is a drop-in one for teens, will take place on Tuesday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 p.m. Included will be ice time on the Tuesday and indoor games like ping pong, air hockey, etc. on Fridays.

Anne is looking for people who enjoy working with teenagers.

As the program is reasonably unstructured, it would be best if volunteers are either young adults, or are reasonably "laid-back" in personality.

To offer your services, please give Anne a call at 347-2411.

Don't miss Christmas Tea

If your newspaper looks a little crumpled and spotted at this stage of your reading, it could be because I have drooled all over it.

But probably not.

It's just that this next item always elicits the same response: a watery mouth and total lack of control!

St. Mary's Christmas Tea is happening this Saturday, Nov. 24, from 2 to 4 p.m. at St. Mary's Hall (beside the church).

Join others in the community for the chance to visit, have some refreshments, stock up on baking, and kick-off the Christmas spirit!

Personally, I think the St. Mary's bake table at these teas is second to none.

No rag-tag muffins and store-bought pies for these ladies!

Teen dance

Teen dance time is coming up at the Char-Lan Recreation Centre again this Friday, Nov. 23. Everyone aged 10 to 16 is welcome to attend from 7 to 10 p.m.

Christmas cards for sale

If you are interested in buying your Christmas cards without leaving the rural area AND are interested in helping children at the same time, Grace Gordon can help you out.

Grace is selling cards for the Save the Children Fund, from her home on Loyalist Road.

The cards feature designs by Canadian artists, as well as some Christmas symbols. The cost is 12 cards for $10.

To have cards set aside for you, give Grace a call at 347-2990.

Library open house

Next Thursday night (Nov. 29) is the big one at the Williamstown Library, when an open house will be held for all residents of the community.

As you probably are aware, November is sign-up month at the library, and new members are particularly welcome to come along and see what the library offers, at this time.

Old felons who have been too embarrassed to show up with overdue books are being given the opportunity to unload them during November — NO FINES charged and NO QUESTIONS asked!

It is to be hoped that there will be a good showing from the community at the open house in support of the library — one of Williamstown's assets.

The open house — featuring a couple of dignitaries, a couple of draws and lots of drop-cakes (not necessarily, but I had to find a refreshment which started with "d") — takes place between 7 and 8 p.m.

Please plan to attend!

Bridge scores

Williamstown Bridge Club winners this week are: N/S: Gerry Johnston and Georgette Lauzon; Elizabeth Marjerrison and Jim Campbell, and Jean Murray and Jean Campbell.

E/W winners: Homer Grant and Garry O'Connell; Audrey Pasco and Lydia Johnson, and Jacquie Thibert and Hanz Schulz.

Green thumb news

Williamstown Green Thumb Horticultural Society is gearing up for its Annual General Meeting and Christmas party at the Char-Lan Recreation Centre on Monday, Nov. 26, beginning at 7:30 p.m. when the newly-elected executive will be welcomed with a festive wine and cheese spread. This is always a special, cheerful holiday meeting and the Green Thumbs welcomes anyone interested in gardening to drop by, chat about your garden and perhaps stay to join.

Members are urged to celebrate the season by bringing gifts for distribution to Baldwin House or the Agape Centre.

There's also a "participating" gift exchange, meaning, "If you brings one, you gets one!"

After a year of sweating over exact wording, Sally Blacker and Bill McRae will present the new constitution.

MP Bob Kilger is expected to be on hand to dole out certificates from the federal government honouring Green Thumb volunteers.

And for those of you who only come for the food, the hostesses for the evening will be: Maureen Stephens, Christine Friedrich, Adele Matthew, Michael Mott, and Toyoko Ogura Marshall.



TASTING THE NIGHT AWAY: St. Joseph's School in Alexandria held a fundraising event in cooperation with Alexandria Dairy Queen on Nov. 13. During the evening, Dairy Queen donates 15 per cent of the sales to the school. Here, front from left, St. Joe students Robin Barillaro, Matthew Bedard and Brandon Barillaro enjoy their ice cream to the amusement of parents Gail Hartrick, left, and Denise Fraser. Principal Michael Crossan, behind, tests out the firmness of his treat. Other schools also participate in this event throughout the winter. GREG PEERENBOOM PHOTO

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North Lancaster loses three more members of the community

NORTH LANCASTER

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This year has been a year of great loss in our small community, and the past week has seen the departure of three more of its members from this world to the next.

Raymond McDonell

Recently I read this Celtic proverb: "It is in the shelter of each other that people live." I keep it in mind as I consider my father's life and death, and I believe it to be true.

Archibald Raymond "Gill" McDonell died just before daybreak on Friday, Nov. 9, at home with his family.

Ray lived his life in the house in which he was born. There he raised his family, farmed the land he inherited, and passed it on to the next generation.

A man of principle, Ray conducted himself according to a deep sense of right and wrong. He fulfilled his obligations to his faith, his family and his community to the best of his ability.

He and his wife, Katherine, were distinct but indivisible, bound by their vows and facing all things together. As one they shared the business of living, accepted its joys and sorrows, and were committed to fostering their values in their children. Their hospitality was generous, freely offered, and rarely abused.

Ray lived all the days of his life. He loved history, genealogy, current affairs, garage sales and his work. He was wryly witty and adept in conversation. Deeply respectful of others, he encouraged his children to realize their gifts and to be true to their convictions. He led by example.

When his final illness was diagnosed, he consulted with Katherine, then requested his family's presence to relay his wishes: that we care for our mother and each other, and that we let him go.

Each of us set aside our daily routines for those last two weeks to accompany him on his journey as far as we could go. To the end, Dad believed that he would be met by his Saviour and by those who had gone before. His courage evoked ours, and our house was full of peace and care for one another.

For his funeral homily, our cousin, Father Kevin, asked each of us to sum up in a word or two our father, Ray. At last I have my word, common to us all, but unique to each of us: Daddy.

Jerome Maheu

Jerome Maheu passed away on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at the age of 71 years. A lifelong farmer, Jerome lived a quiet life on the River Road until his retirement. Later he moved to the Curry Hill sideroad with his wife, Huguette, who survives him. Our sympathy on behalf of the area residents to her and to Mr. Maheu's large extended family. His funeral was held in St. Margaret of Scotland Church on Nov. 10.

Rosaire Campeau

Rosaire Campeau, of North Lancaster, died suddenly on Tuesday, Nov. 13, at the age of 54, just days before his birthday. Rosaire's cheerful presence will be sadly missed locally. He was a devoted member of the North Lancaster Volunteer Fire Department, and to mark his passing, that organization will retire his helmet, number 20. His funeral procession was headed by the station's fire engine, and his peers formed a guard of honour at the church. Rosaire is survived by his sons Marc (Nancy) and Alain (Melanie) and to them we offer our sympathy. The funeral was held at St. Margaret of Scotland Church on Saturday, Nov. 17.

S.J. McLeod School

The fundraising committee has initiated its annual St. Albert's Cheese Drive which will run from Nov.15 to 29. This product, so popular locally, will make a great Christmas gift and delivery will be in early December in plenty of time for wrapping!

If you are not acquainted with an S.J. McLeod student you are invited to contact Debbie Keillar at 347-2488 for more information or to place an order. By purchasing cheese through the school campaign you can save between 10 per cent and 45 per cent off retail prices as well as helping defray the expenses of curriculum resources, field trips, and the ongoing playground/greening project.

Another fundraising effort with which the community can help all year is the Campbell's Labels for Education Program. By collecting labels and proof of purchase (the UPC bar code) from Campbell's soups, Pepperidge Farm Crackers, and V8 Splash products, the school will be eligible for free educational resources and equipment. Those of you connected with the Food Service Industry can save the case UPC's as well.

A chart detailling eligible products can be received by calling Debbie at 347-2488. Store your labels in an envelope and drop off at the school or any student.

Ste. Thérèse School

Grade 7 and 8 students will participate in a volleyball tournament at Elda Rouleau School in Alexandria on Nov. 23. We wish them good luck at the team practices for this challenge.

On Friday, this week, the Circle des Fermieres women's group will be making taffy for the students in honour of St. Catherine's Feast Day.

Please note that the Viability Committee meeting date in L'Orignal has been changed to Dec. 11.

Good wishes

Birthday greetings are sent out to two of my sisters: Kyle McDonell (Nov.11) and Lynice Currier (Nov.19)

Also best wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Bruce Wheatcroft, the Glen Nevis musician, who sustained injuries to his shoulder and hand recently while conducting "dances with drywall". An equally speedy return to good health to Jean-Yves Legros and Edmond Vachon.



MUSEUM CONTRIBUTORS: The Glengarry Pioneer Museum recognized the now disbanded Dunvegan Women's Institute with a plaque for volunteering at the museum. The Institute also donated a bench as part of disbursing its funds. Bottom, from left, sitting on the bench are Ruth Alderson and Catherine Dan MacRae, top from left, Sheila Whealon, Margaret MacLeod, Eunice Nixon, Peggi Calder and Flora Chisholm. Missing is Joyce MacKinnon. SUBMITTED PHOTO

Fraternité club party attracts large crowd

FRATERNITÉ NEWS

The nice weather brought a large crowd at the Fraternité Club with 18 tables of players. Thank you for supporting our club.

The card party was hosted by Ghislaine Menard and Jacqueline Leger.

Euchre: Aline Menard, Ilma Legault, Doreen Johnson, Lionel Doré, Guy Lavigne, Pauline Lavigne, Rolland Paquette and Marie Thérèse Théoret.

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50/50: Jean Noël Campeau, Gérard Seguin, Marie Thérèse Théoret, Aline Levac, Ghislaine Ménard, Bert Boulanger, Aline Menard and Aimé Théoret.

Bridge: Bob Schofield, Marion Schofield, Emile Trepanier, Pierrette Downs, Estelle Brazeau, Millie Harvey, Rosario Lacasse and Barbara Boulanger.

Door prize: Hélène Campeau.

The next card party will be on Nov. 29, hosted by Aimé and Marie Thérèse Théoret.

On Dec. 9 the Christmas Banquet will be held at the Sports Palace. Tickets are now on sale. The deadline to purchase your ticket is on Dec. 3.

General meeting held Nov. 29

GLENGARRY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEWS

A hospital auxiliary general meeting will be held in the conference room at the hospital on Nov. 29 at 1:30 p.m. Ramilla Padiachy will speak on naturopathy.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

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A good selection of articles can be found in the hospital gift shop, either for giving or for decorating your home.

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Along with collecting pop tabs and Farm Boy receipts, we are now collecting used eyeglasses and hearing aids for reuse in Third World countries. These can be left at the gift shop.

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Volunteers are needed in the gift shop and physio and activities departments. If you think you could help out, please phone Carol Bellware at 525-4969.

OBITUARY

Allan Gerard Pickett

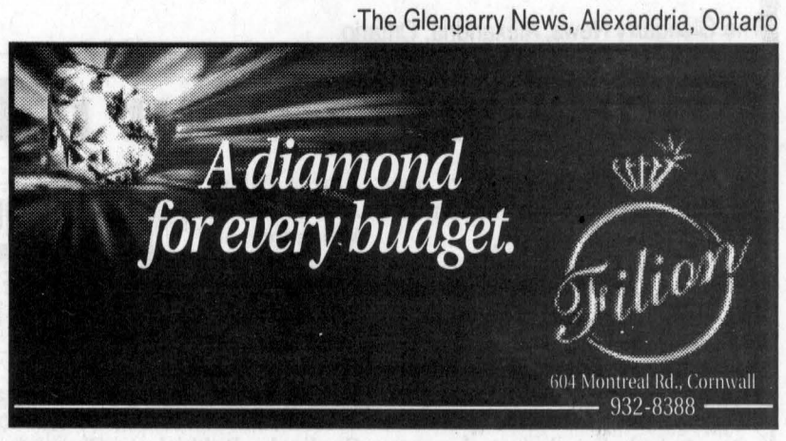
Allan Pickett, dear husband of Sheila Chisholm, passed away Saturday, November 3, 2001 at Glengarry Memorial Hospital, Alexandria after a short illness.

He is survived by three sons, David Pickett (Sheri), Toronto, Lindsay Pickett (Dale), Saskatoon, Andrew Chisholm (Carol), Lochiel; and a daughter, Kellie Pickett, Maxville.

Al was the son of John and Marie Pickett, Toronto, and is survived by his sister, Helen Loveseth, San Francisco and brother, Donald Pickett, Kitchener, and several nieces and nephews.

His funeral was held from Munro & Morris Funeral Homes Inc., Alexandria, to St. Alexander's Parish, Lochiel, on Wednesday, November 7. Father Daniel Gauthier said a funeral mass; Pierre Vaillancourt was soloist. He was buried in the cemetery at St. Alexander's, Lochiel.

The pallbearers were his four children.



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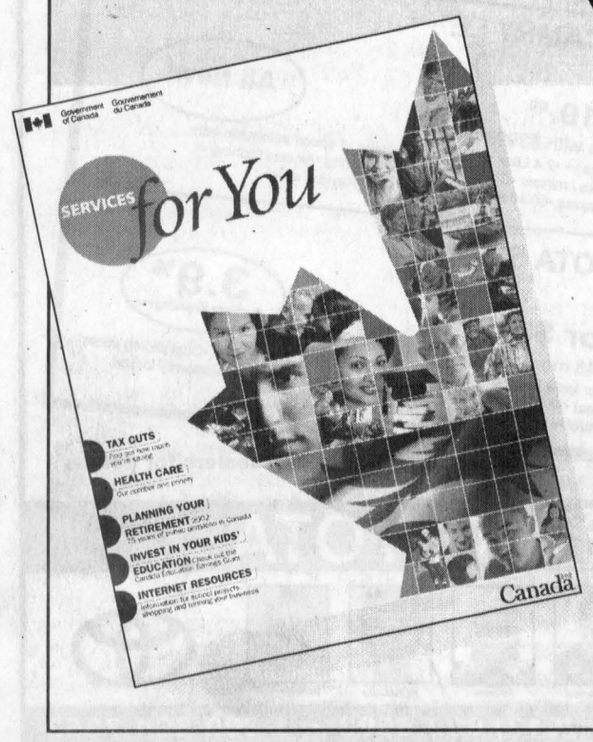

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More on our catty friends



HIGHLAND PATHS

KEN MCKENNA

The Scottish wildcat still exists in some remote areas of the Highlands. Unlike the North American lynx and bobcat, the Scots version is generally striped grey, with a black line running down the back.

Some domesticated cats may have come here long ago with the early settlers and have had Scottish wildcat genes. They certainly would have been welcomed aboard the sailing ships of the day, which were inevitably infested with rats and mice. Two of our cats, Malcolm and Samantha, are grey and have a black line from stem to stern, as do millions more, but we pretend that the ancestors of our Malcolm and Samantha came on immigrant ships 200 years ago and still speak Gaelic among themselves.

Since I first wrote a couple of columns last July about the four cats who share our lives at Kintail Farm I keep hearing from readers who want to hear more. I don't suppose that our cats are really different from any others, but since I know them so well I feel that I can write about them as distinct creatures with very obvious individual characteristics.

MISUNDERSTOOD CATS

On Johnny Carson's TV show years ago he expressed the feelings of many, myself among them at the time, when he said that as far as he was concerned, all a cat was good for was sitting on top of the TV set and staring at you. I've come a long way, baby, since that time!

P.G. Wodehouse was one of the most amusing English writers of the last century, penning stories about the antics of the "upper class twits" of his native land. His creations of Bertie Wooster, the loveable but brainless aristocratic young man of 1920s London and his all-knowing butler Jeeves have become immortals. In one of his short stories, Wodehouse tells of another young man-about-London-town (read "amiable dope") who is asked by his uncle, a distinguished bishop, to look after a beloved grey cat while the clergyman is away on an extended trip.

The cat turns out to be even more distinguished and snooty than the bishop. His temporary keeper is convinced that the cathedral cat has taken on many of the attributes of the sanctimonious uncle and, because it sits and glares at him disapprovingly all the time, the once happy-go-lucky bachelor becomes obsessed with attempting to win the cat's favour. Because he thinks the cat doesn't approve of his flashy wardrobe and way of life he takes to wearing sombre outfits, goes on the wagon, redecorates his flat, drops his friends and even gives up playing the ukelele, all to no avail. The cat still glares at him. He is reduced to an unhappy and guilt-ridden wreck, only relieved when the bishop arrives back to collect the cat.

PERHAPS WE JUST DON'T UNDERSTAND

Sometimes I think that my friend Malcolm Canmore is trying to communicate with us and can't understand why we are so stupid as not to immediately get the message. Anne now believes that she should have listened to Malcolm on the evening of Feb. 26, 2001, when I slipped on the ice on our lane, broke my hip and lay for an hour on my back in the snow. In retrospect, she remembers his strange behaviour at that time. In spite of the fact that he has never shown any interest in going outside during the 10 years that he's been with us (he knows a good deal when he sees one), on that night he kept shouting at her and running back and forth to the door. Anne thinks that she might have been able to help me much sooner if she had only paid more attention to the cat. But who of us could really believe that a cat might be as smart as Lassie?

LIKE CATS AND DOGS

The trouble with any cat-dog comparison is that dogs are so outgoing and obvious, wearing their hearts on their sleeves, as it were, and cats are so much the opposite. My father had a Scots terrier which was his particular pride and joy. It was a shaggy brindle with a longish snout and although quite homely, was very intelligent. Writing this reminds me of an old friend in Montreal with the wonderful name of Maisie MacSporran. She was the principal of Miss Edgar's and Miss Cramp's, one of the most prestigious private girls' schools in Montreal. Maisie had several university degrees and was a legend in her time. She loved to tell what happened when she was a five-year-old in her home in Rothesay, New Brunswick. Her mother was treating some women to afternoon tea. Little Maisie was called in to be introduced and then sent on her way. After she left, one of the women quietly remarked: "Not very pretty!" Maisie stuck her head back into the parlour. "Not very pretty" she said, "but very smart!"

More about Dougall and smart cats another time.

Talented photographer only doors away



ARTS

LORNA FOREMAN
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Sometimes it is easy to overlook what is just under your nose.

Jim LeBlanc, photographer, falls into that category. Only doors away from me, I still needed to be reminded of his talents at a street party this summer.

Born in Campbelltown, NB, he started off to be an engineer but ended up at Kodak in sales and marketing. Coincidence? Which came first – the love of photography led him to Kodak or working for Kodak created his interest?

"My brother gave me a camera when I was 15 years old," Jim told me.

"Because we lived in the boonies I taught myself how to take pictures and do my own developing by reading books and calling people to find out where I went wrong.

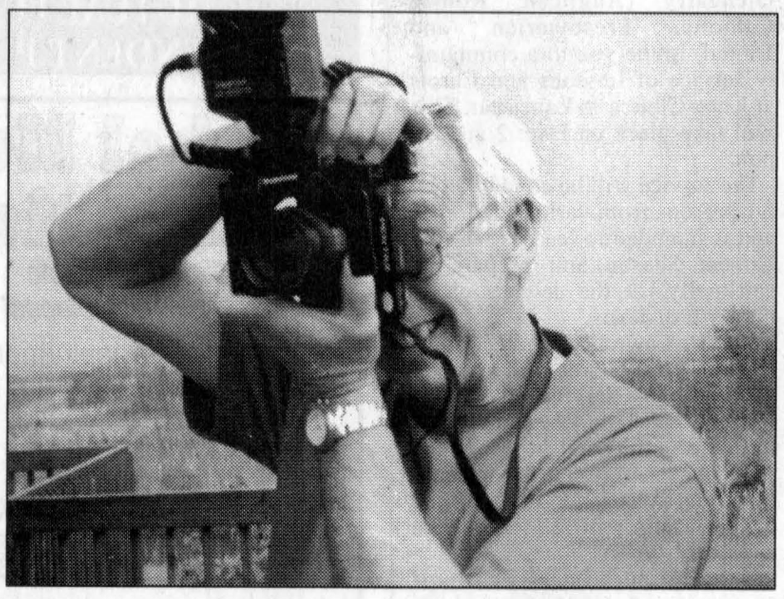
"But I was always interested in art, and before starting photography, I painted and sculpted.

"Sculpting came about because we used to go to a swimming hole which had a lot of clay in it. The kids used to cover themselves with clay but I discovered that I could shape things from the clay.

"Of course I didn't have a kiln but when I was an arts and crafts director at a camp, they did have one and I learned how to fire the clay items.

"I used to copy cartoons when I was little," Jim said. "My mother always told me they were great but encouraged me to try to draw my own work.

"Sometimes I would take a photograph of a friend, develop it, enlarge it and do a charcoal or soft pencil drawing of it."



WEDDING GUY: Jim Leblanc has lots to photograph from his deck, but his specialty is weddings.

Under the name 'Creative Weddings' Jim has developed a perfect line of work for himself since he retired. In fact he exclusively photographs weddings.

"I don't work in a studio setting," Jim explained. "I guess you could call it candid photography. I use more film, of course, but the couple have more to choose from in the end.

"When I do a wedding, I meet the couple to get a feel of what they want.

"At the wedding itself, I become like a benevolent uncle who wants to take pictures. I consider myself part of the entertainment but must also produce good work.

"Some brides want (black and white) photography and often I will colour one particular detail of the shot – like a single rose held by the bride. That makes for a dramatic photo. I work unobtrusively yet am part of the wedding party.

"My best reward is when I show the proofs to the couple, the bride starts to cry," Jim said. "She is relived the event. I had one wedding to photograph where I had actually photographed her mother's wedding some 30 years before.

"The bride wanted a lot of the same shots as I did then so about 80 per cent were black and white. I really enjoyed doing that wedding and even travelled to Toronto to do it."

Jim is definitely not an introvert and he does not use the camera to hide behind.

"Art was always my way to access people," Jim admitted. "The real enjoyment was showing the people their photos. I have experimented with different techniques such as polarizers and cellophane, but not for weddings."

In the summer when Jim is not using his camera, he can be found canoeing through the wonderful marsh land that we live near. He is also a sailor and skis in the winter. He even used to ice boat and I have always thought that would be an exciting sport since we do live on Lake St. Francis.

He confessed that he is working on a book.

"I am working on the genealogy of my family," Jim elaborated. "Hopefully it will become a book that just happens to be about my history."

Jim can be reached at 347-1371.

ARTS AROUND

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Visting family in Westminster



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Linda Baggs, Elizabeth Dallas and Nancy McGee have spent a week of holidays visiting with family in Surrey, Hope and New Westminster, B.C.

Condolences

Alex McDonald, lifelong resident of Conc. 6 east, passed away on Nov. 8. Condolences to his family members.

Different fire department

Referring to an item about Réal Dessureault in last week's column, Réal was honoured by the Westmount Fire Dept. and not the Ottawa Fire Dept. as I had mentioned.

Hunting

Rolland Legault and hunting pals spent a week in Northern Ontario.

Decorating

With the beautiful warm weekend weather, village residents were seen out doing their Christmas decorating before the cold weather arrives.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE NEWS

Minister hints at funding approvals

The signs are there that funding announcements for Glengarry water and sewage treatment projects.

Under questioning by local MP Jean-Marc Lalonde, it appears that announcements will be forthcoming regarding two Glengarry water infrastructure projects, which have applied under the Ontario Small Town Infrastructure progam of SuperBuild Corp.

Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Minister Brian Coburn told Mr. Lalonde in the legislature that "those announcements will be happening shortly."

Minister Coburn said preliminary engineering reports are being evaluated by the Ministry of Environment. The government hopes the North Glengarry objective of upgrading the Alexandria and Glen Robertson water systems will take advantage of the latest technology.

South Glengarry wants to provide a water and sewage system linking Creg Quay and Westley's Point.

Last week, Hawkesbury was approved for a $1,277,420 contribution from the Canada-Ontario Infrastructure program, a partnership which utilizes SuperBuild funding. The Town of Hawkesbury will provide the remaining $638,710 or one-third.

The funding will upgrade the Hawkesbury Water Pollution Control Plant, to ensure that aging equipment is modernized, wastewater is properly treated and that residents are served by an adequate municipal wastewater treatment system. Construction is expected to be completed by spring 2003.

Cleary questions time for tax cut

Local MPP John Cleary is warning constituents not to expect a cash boost for provincial government programs that he claims need extra funding.

Mr. Cleary is miffed that Finance Minister Jim Flaherty is, instead, lowering income taxes to combat a worsening economic situation.

Minister Flaherty predicted growth of this year will be only 1.1 per cent and 1.3 per cent in 2002.

"The Conservative government has been able to find the money to accelerate tax cuts to personal, corporate and capital taxes but can't find the funding to adequately finance our health care system," Mr. Cleary said.

"What is more important than the air we breathe, the water we drink, our children's education and health care for al l members of our society?"

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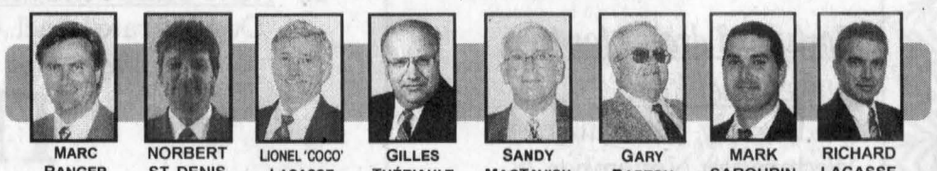

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The parade theme is "Friends at Christmas" and the South Glengarry Club Council has been working hard to make this a happy event at the start of the Christmas season.

If this weather keeps up, hot chocolate may not be so popular but, just in case, the Legion Hall at Smithfield will be the place to register and warm up before the parade.

There will also be hot chocolate served at St. Joseph's Hall afterwards.

Santa tells me that he can hardly wait to visit us.

For information call Barry at 347-2207 or Pierre at 347-3421.

Favourite books

Is curling up with a good book an activity of the past? Are books still treasured, very often reread several times? Will you find books on the 'want list' of today's youth?

Rudi Dedham, CEO of SDG County Library, was guest speaker at the October meeting of the Bainsville Women's Institute.

Rudi, who represents nineteen branches in our library system, listened to 29 WI members respond to the roll call as each member recommended a favourite book.

Then, Audrey Mitchell made a comment on the Motto, "A book is the best of friend, the same today and forever."

During her address Ms. Dedham affirmed that area residents consider our libraries to be an essential service in our community second only to a fire department. They function as a resource centre. They are also democratic guardians and stewards of all aspects our society's history.

Directors of the library board endeavour to respond to the wishes and needs of the communities that they serve. They open new branches when needed, provide mobile libraries, listening books for the visually impaired, and in this 21st century, electronic books.

Rudi reminded members that November is Sign Up Month. During this time of "Amnesty" residents are also encouraged to return overdue books with no fine.

Open House for all libraries in SDG will be held on Nov. 29.

The next WI meeting is the annual Christmas Meeting on Dec. 5, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster.

An evening with Emily

The evening was warm. So was the ambiance inside Osborne Hall as Emily Carr charmed the audience with her music and her bubbly personality. The crowd consisted of family members, relatives, members of St. John's Anglican Church and a few, like myself, who were hearing Emily for the first time.

I have to say that with her rich voice, singing songs that she wrote, and other familiar tunes, Emily touched our hearts. It was a very pleasant evening, listening, enjoying delicious refreshments and the company of nice people. Support for Emily in this musical endeavour by those present was obvious and very nice to see.

During an intermission many of us bought a CD, Emily's first, and had Emily sign them. Proceeds from the CD sales will go to Primates World Relief Fund.

Late Saturday evening, sitting with our pets by the fire we listened to Emily, Barry for the first time. It surely was easy listening. Congratulations Emily.

Volunteer appreciation

This special year, to honour volunteers, has certainly brought to light the enormous contribution that volunteers give to our communities.

Most do it for the cause, not for the brownie points, but a little thank you is always nice.

Last week Chateau Gardens held a nice luncheon to do just that for 37 generous people.

Three new volunteers were welcomed, Dorothy Fawthrop, Dorothy Dewar, and Jacques Legault.

The following service pins were presented.

For 500 hours: Helene Giroux, Inge Baxter, Linda McCune and Don Mitchell.

Don was given a special gift for his many hours of work in the Chateau gardens.

For 600 hours: Pat McGrath.

For 700 hours: Millie Vialette. For 800 hours: Pauline Ashton and for 1,000 hours: Sheila Marcoux and Sheila Urquhart.

Thanks to all!

Sale reminder

As you read this, there are only two days left for the Chateau Gardens Bake and Craft Sale. On Saturday, go to the Activity Room any time from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Enjoy a light refreshment and browse among the many items for sale. All proceeds of this event will go directly to the residents' council.

St. Andrew's Day Ceilidh

The Social Committee of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will host a St. Andrew's Day Ceilidh and Tea on Dec. 1. This Scottish event will include lots of toe-tapping music with such groups as the Cornwall Cloggers, the Cornwall Gaelic Choir, bagpipe, violin and accordion music. There will be many more talented guests.

All of this will take place from 2 to 4 p.m.

As you listen to a wide variety of musicians, mouth-watering sandwiches, tea, coffee and sweets will be served.

Everyone is invited to come to the ceilidh.

Admission is only $5 for adults and free for children under 12. For more information please call 347-3944 or 933-5243.

Knights' arthritis campaign

Michel Bourdeau, chairman of the 2001 Arthritis Campaign for the Knights of Columbus in Lancaster would like to thank everyone who supported the Arthritis Society with their donations.

Once again the campaign was very successful. Michel sends a special thanks to the following canvassers: Pat Bougie, Diane Bowles, Alain Cholette, Dorothy Dewar, Guy Dubeau, Robert Glaude, Sophie Larouche, Lorraine Plue, Alain Poirier, Hugette Rummens, Michael Sommers, Tammy Werely, Nathalie Bernier, Monique Chretien, Gilles Dubeau, Maureen Dunn, Lynne Hurtubise, Nancy Lynch, Sheila Marcoux, Lorraine Prewer, Rita Sauve and Pierre Violette.

Tree lighting ceremony

"Friends at Christmas" takes on another dimension when you visit Cooper Marsh.

This year the 'friends' of Cooper Marsh will be holding our Annual Tree Lighting at the Visitors' Centre and you are invited to be a part of this lovely event. The actual carol singing and time for refreshments will be in a cosy place, inside, but the tree to be lit will stand outside.

Who knows what other creatures may be hiding and watching the fun?

The Community Friends at Christmas Tree Lighting will be on Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. More specific news to come.

Churches Unite

The Churches of South Glengarry (Anglican, Roman Catholic, Presbyterian and United) invite you to a community service of Lessons and Carols at Knox Church in Lancaster. This will take place on Dec. 2 at 7:30 p.m.

The service will be conducted by lay persons from various churches and is intended to lead us into the Advent Season and prepare us spiritually for the celebration of the birth of Jesus.

The St. Lawrence Charge Choir and the Gospelaires will provide music for this service. A freewill offering will be taken and will go to help children in war-torn Afghanistan, through the international organization CARE. A time of fellowship will follow. All are welcome!

These are such fine days, everyone a special gift before winter arrives. Hope that you are enjoying them.

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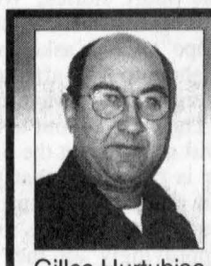
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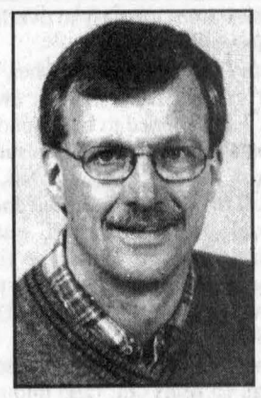
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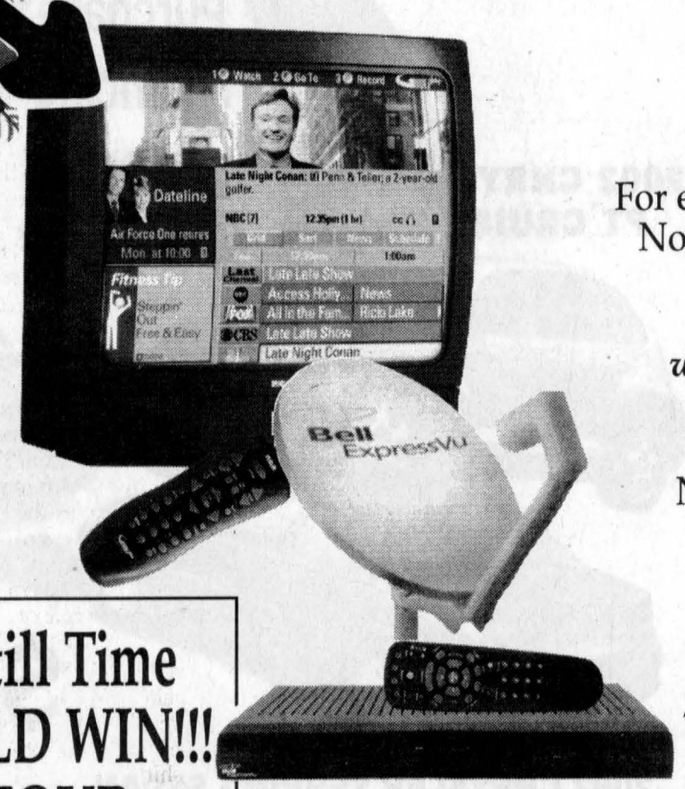

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Tough week for Glens

The peewee B Alexandria Glens lost two games and tied another last week.

On Sunday they lost to the visiting St. Isidore Eagles 3-1.

Julien Delorme had the lone Glens' goal.

On Saturday the Glens hosted Ogdensburg and earned their only point of the weekend.

Corey Willard and J.F Menard scored in a 2-2 draw.

On Thursday the Glens lost 5-2 in Potsdam.

Julien Menard and Brett Boisvenue scored in the loss.

A great second period

The atom house Alexandria #1 Glens had a strong middle frame en route to a 4-3 win over St. Isidore Sunday at home.

The Glens got goals from Clay Chadsey, Yannick Rochon and Patrick Menard in the second period to go up 3-1.

The Eagles responded with two third period goals but Stephanie Dupuis-Sauve was able to score the game-winner for Alexandria.

Matthew Seguin had two assists in the win.

Borris leads the way

Yannick Borris had an impressive weekend offensively as he led his novice B Glens' team to two wins.

On Nov. 13 in Morrisburg Borris with two, Eric Just and Vincent Blondin scored in a 4-1 win.

On Thursday Borris with two more, Jeremy Poirier with two, Just, Joe O'Shea and Patrick Poirier scored in a 7-2 win over the NGS Braves in Alexandria.

Jacob Byers and Jonathon Currier scored in the loss.

On Sunday the Glens lost to North Dundas 6-1.

Just had the lone goal.

Farley's remain first

Farley Windows remain in first place in the North Glengarry Broomball league after edging Lacombe's Custom Work 3-2 Sunday in Maxville.

Victor Sarrault scored two goals and added an assist in the win.

Albert Derouchie had the other Windows tally.

Roch Lacombe and Pierre Lacombe scored in the loss.

Dave's Drywall remain in second after shutting out Kelly's Sports Bar 3-0.

Keith Presley earned his first no-no of the season and goals were scored by Jamie Norman, Chris Bilmer and Shawn Lalonde.

Streak stops at 10

Lochiel resident Kurt MacSweyn's scoring streak with the Ontario Hockey League's Brampton Battalion has finished at 10 games.

MacSweyn was held pointless Friday as the Battalion fell to the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds 3-2.

MacSweyn scored in Sunday's 4-2 win over the Wolves in Sudbury.

The win ended the Battalion's three-game losing streak.

It was MacSweyn's 12th goal of the season.

He added an assist in a 4-2 loss to the Sarnia Sting in Brampton Thursday to keep his streak alive.

Another Glengarrian is having success in Ottawa.

Williamstown's Jonah Leroux scored his third goal of the season in a 2-1 Ottawa 67s win over the Belleville Bulls Nov. 14.

On Friday he was held pointless against the Windsor Spitfires.

Since joining the 67s Leroux has seen his ice time and point totals rise substantially.

Walsh plays a trick

A hat trick by Matthew Walsh led the Seaway Valley Minor Bantam Rapids to a 4-1 win over the Sting last weekend. Trevin Thompson rounded out the scoring.

Luc Beauclair, Bobby MacNab and Jordan Scheffer picked up assists and Josh Ingram had a strong game in between the pipes.

Glens tie Cougars

The atom house Glens earned a point after a 4-4 draw with Vankleek Hill last week.

Andrew Munro, Olivier Roy, Danick Ladouceur and Simon Pierre Lajoie scored for Alexandria.

Lajoie's goal tied the game with 18 seconds remaining.

Rebels success depends on physical play

Rebels.

BY TODD ANDERSON
Sports Editor

The Char-Lan Rebels seemed to be two different teams in a pair of weekend games according to their coach.

Jeff Carter said he saw a huge difference from his club on Saturday night against Athens after a sloppy 3-1 win in South Grenville on Friday.

"We came out and we hit. It was a big thing compared to the game before. We tripled the amount of hits from Friday night."

The final result was much more convincing as well.

Rebels 11 Aeros 1

The Rebels led just 2-0 after 20 minutes but exploded with six goals in the middle frame en route to a lopsided win.

Defenceman Jason Lepine cracked the top 10 leading scorers list once again with a three goal one assist effort.

"He's definitely an offensive defenceman," said Carter.

"He always creates scoring opportunities with his good passes. He knows when to jump into the action and when not to."

Lepine has 10 goals and 22 points this season.

Troy Sinfield, who returned this weekend from an ankle injury, scored his eighth and ninth goals of the year.

Carter is expecting Sinfield to start putting more points on the board.

"I think Troy struggled out of the blocks. He's got to work harder at both ends of the ice. He's got to play with more intensity. It's still early, he'll rebound."

Rounding out the scoring Saturday were Nick Dubé, Danny Lafave, Chris Corput, Stephane St. Denis, Andrew Banville and Stephane Maltais.

It was Maltais' first goal of the season.

Carter doesn't expect much offense from Maltais but does rely on his passing.

"He's a four-year vet who's had a good year so far. He moves the puck well and his biggest asset is that he moves it fast. He's a good skater and doesn't get beaten too often."

The only Rebel yet to score a goal this season is the reliable Pat Smith.

Tim McCuaig had a leisurely time in goal but was beaten by Athens' Brian Johnson on a powerplay near the end of the second period.

The Rebels led 6-0 at that point.

Char-Lan outshot Athens 55-19.

On Friday night the Rebels travelled to South Grenville and despite outshooting the Rangers convincingly they barely came away with the win.

Rebels 3 Rangers 1

Carter said despite outshooting the Rangers around 60-7 it wasn't one of the Rebels' greatest efforts.

"They're (Rangers and Aeros) fairly comparable teams. Their goaltender played well but we weren't exactly full of intensity."

Steve Jarvo's goal with 23 seconds remaining in the first period turned out to be the winning goal.

Jarvo added his second of the game and fourth of the year at the beginning of the second period as an insurance marker.

Sean Roseman got things going as he potted his eighth of the season with under three minutes left in the opening frame.

Rebels notes:

This weekend the Rebels host the Rideau division-leading Brockville Tikis (14-4-0) at home Saturday night starting at 7:45 p.m.

On Sunday Char-Lan travels to Gananoque for a 7:45 p.m. start against the fourth-placed Islanders (5-11-2).

Carter is looking forward to a challenging weekend.

"I haven't seen Brockville this season. Obviously they are the strongest team out of the Rideau division. It'll be an important win for the leading win percentage in the four leagues. It's going to be a test and will set the tone for the future. Gananoque is always a hard-working team and they always play well at home."

With the win against Athens Saturday night the Rebels have guaranteed themselves a place in the Boxing Day tournament.



ONE OF MANY: Rebels' forward Danny Lafave (4) watches as the puck he shot finds its way past Athens' goaltender Jackson Bannon in the first period of an 11-1 Char-Lan win Saturday night in Williamstown.

TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

The Rebels have 29 points currently. That is 11 more than third place Kemptville has with only four games left to qualify.

The top two teams from each division participate.

Second place Alexandria has 24 points.

"As an organization we definitely wanted to go," said Carter.

"It gives us an opportunity to check out other teams and usually it's the best eight. Lots of central scouts will be there too to check out the young kids versus the top teams."

The Rebels will be without forward Adam Beehler for the next two months.

Beehler suffered a knee injury against the Alexandria Glens Nov. 10.

He missed the following game against Kemptville but complained of pain after a light skate during practice Tuesday night.

He saw a specialist last week who told him he'll be out of action for about two months.

Carter said despite the injury the team will not be looking to acquire another forward at this point.

McCuaig was backed up by Delio Rossi Saturday night because Maxim Marion was attending a prospects event in Owen Sound.

The Ontario Hockey League's Attack drafted Marion last year.

Carter has been mixing up the lines lately but said he is ready to try to keep them stable.

They should look like this:

Lafave / Dubé / Derek Duval; Banville / Brett Liscomb / Roseman; Ian McConnell / St. Denis / Corput; Jarvo / Sinfield / Shane Perry.

The Rebels now lead the Rideau-St. Lawrence division with 110 goals for and 51 against.

Kemptville is second in the St. Lawrence division with 77 goals and Alexandria has the second best goals against with 64.

Glens defeat Rideau-leading Tikis

ALEXANDRIA JUNIOR B GLENS

BY TODD ANDERSON
Sports Editor

The Alexandria Glens earned another three points last weekend but it didn't come easy.

The Glens first task was against the Rideau division-leading Brockville Tikis at home Friday night.

In their next match on Sunday the Glens would have to finish the game against a feisty Gananoque squad with just two lines and five defencemen.

Glens 4 Islanders 4 OT

The Glens may have been a little bit lucky to leave Gananoque with a point Sunday night.

The Glens finished the game with a only a handful of players as three of their most instrumental leaders were sent to the dressing room after a play early in the second period.

Glens' rookie goaltender Fred Wolf was clipped by a Gananoque player.

Burly Steven Vanden Oetelaar, an assistant captain with the Glens, wasn't about to let the player get away with it.

"He went after him but the linesman got in between and Steven got kicked out because he continued to try and get at him. He had a right to react. Anytime someone touches the goalie you have to step in. Steve knows his job and when to step in and that you have to protect your goalie. It was a chippy affair. They tried to run us out of the building."

According to Sauve, after the play Glens' captain Simon Menard and assistant captain Eric Leroux were ejected for trying to talk about the call with referee Matt Ferguson.

"The first guy would've been okay, but three guys at the same time? The referee didn't want to talk to them at all. Some you're able to and some you're not. They even had the A's and C on their shirts."

Gananoque came back with two goals in the final minutes to steal a point from Alexandria.

The game marked the beginning of Valleyfield's Mathieu Thauvette's career with the Glens.

Thauvette made an immediate impact as the defenceman was credited with the Glens first two goals.

Thauvette, 20, has been practicing with the Glens for the past couple of weeks and played junior A in Valleyfield and four games in junior BB Beauval last season.

"Some guys knew he was interested so we approached him," said Sauve.

"The first goal he let the shot rip from the slot. On the second one he let the shot go and it bounced off either our forward or their defenceman. He's going to be a big quarterback for us. He's got a big time shot and he controls the play. Once he knows the league he'll be an asset."

Also scoring on Friday were Pat Decoste and Simon Langevin.

Dominic Decoeur had three assists in the game.

Chris Easton with two, Lenny Hurst and Peter Bird scored for

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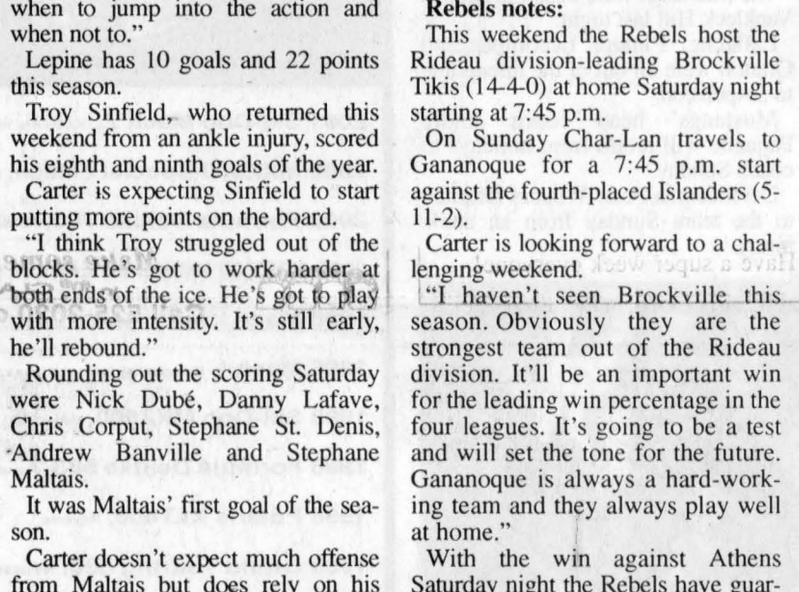


PARKING OUT FRONT: Glens forward Luc Lanthier tries to screen Brockville Tikis goaltender Jason Kelly during Alexandria's 4-1 win at home Friday night.

GREG PEERENBOOM TODD

Char-Lan senior, GDHS junior girls off to EOSSAA

BY TODD ANDERSON
Sports Editor

Glengarry will be represented by two teams in upcoming EOSSAA competition for girls' basketball.

The Char-Lan senior team was able to get past rival Glengarry in the SDG final last week in Williamstown to earn a spot in the four-team EOSSAA competition this Friday in Brockville at St. Mary's.

What a turnaround it has been for the Crusaders.

They started the season 0-4 and finished strongly with a 6-3 record in their last nine games.

"It was hard work on their part," said coach Jim Fourney of the reason for the turnaround.

"I promised nothing but good things if they worked hard in practice."

The other three teams involved at EOSSAA are St. Mary's, Notre Dame from Carleton Place, and St. Francis from the Ottawa Valley.

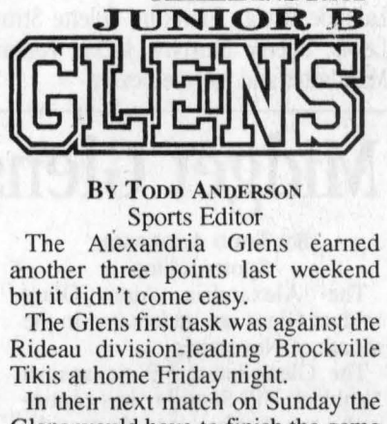
The two teams reaching the final will be playing at OFSAA.

So that means Char-Lan would have to beat St. Francis in their first game to reach OFSAA (which is hosted by Rideau District High School but may be held at the Royal Military College in Kingston on Nov. 29 and 30).

If not they'll play the loser of the Notre Dame-St. Mary's game for the bronze medal.

Char-Lan is ranked second heading into play.

Fourney isn't putting too much pressure on his team.



NO PRESSURE: Char-Lan's Alyth Kersley takes aim at a foul shot in the dying moments of the SDG final against GDHS.

"Our expectations were to make the SDG championships. We'll work hard and see what happens. A lot of the girls are nervous. I said to them 'look, so are the other teams.'

In the SDG final last week Char-Lan won 45-40 in a back-and-forth contest. Melissa Tierney (13), Veronica Poitras (12) and Christie Thompson (7) led the Crusaders in scoring.

GDHS was led by Christi Bauck (15), Natasha Neumann (10) and Laura MacMillan (7).

Junior Gaels head to Elgin tomorrow

Meanwhile the Glengarry junior girls are preparing for their EOSSAA competition in Elgin (45 minutes past Brockville) tomorrow.

The Gaels will enter the six-team tournament ranked fourth.

In their opener they will play the favoured Rideau District High School.

Coach Jen MacLachlan is just happy her team is participating.

"I just want the girls to play strong. If they do I'll be happy."

The Gaels enjoyed a pretty successful regular season going 6-2.

In the SDG final against Rothwell Osnabruck last week the Gaels won convincingly by a score of 33-24.

Sabrina Borsellino (8) and Denise Lavigne (7) led the team in scoring.

"We have relied on Sabrina heavily to get points," said MacLachlan.

"She has really come through."

Mustangs gain a lot more than just two points

MAXVILLE

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

The Maxville Mustangs only earned two points in in a trio of matches last weekend but if you ask the team they're not too upset about it.

A tough weekend against Embrun, Rockland and Casselman would give the Mustangs a true test at where they stand as the league schedule nears the halfway mark.

The Mustangs' first game against the Panthers in Embrun would be their first challenge.

Maxville lost the first two games against the first-place Panthers by only one goal. They were hoping to keep it close once again and maybe even pull off a win.

Panthers 8 Mustangs 6

Close but no cigar.

Panthers' Patrick Hamel scored his second goal of the game into an empty net to seal the win.

Maxville did have a 6-4 lead at the beginning of the period but wasn't able to keep Embrun at bay.

Pat Villeneuve, Pierre Pinard and Martin Lecompte scored in the first period giving Maxville a 3-1 lead.

In the second period Maxville was outscored by Embrun 3-2.

Brad McMillan and Nick Adam scored for the Mustangs.

In the third period captain Derek Crawford increased the Maxville lead by scoring his fifth goal of the season.

Embrun came back with the next four goals for the win.

Assistant coach Kevin Lalonde knows the team let one get away.

"I felt we should've put that one away. I guess we just finished on the short end of the stick."

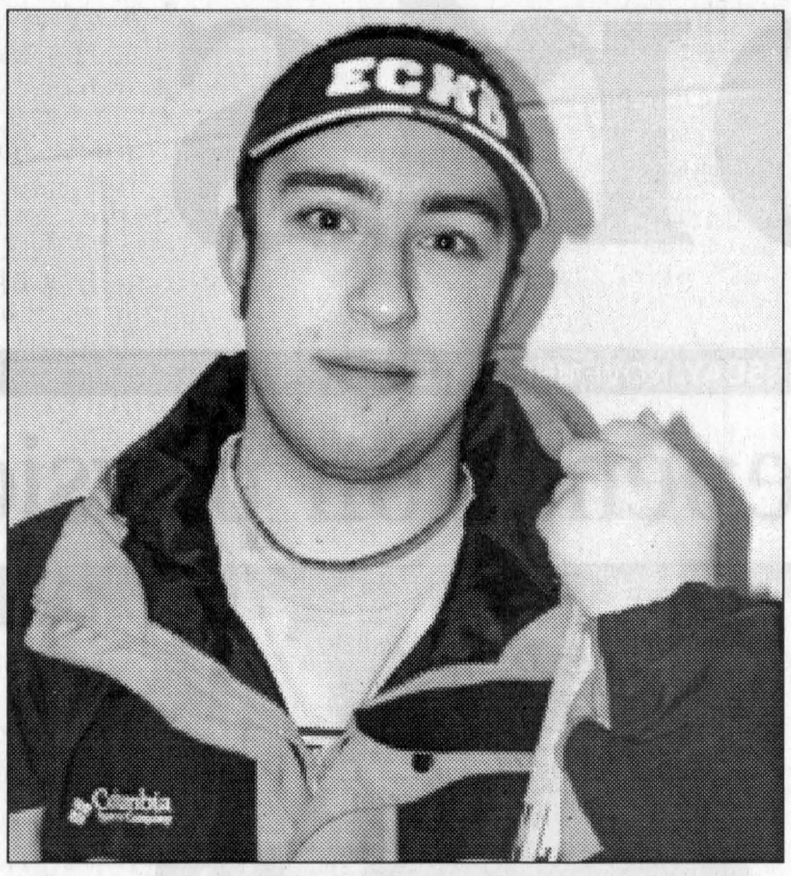
Scoring for the Panthers was Matthew Blanchard with three, Ian Courville with two, Patrick Hamel with two and Mathieu Bourbonnais.

Dan Desnoyers took the loss in goal.

On Saturday the Mustangs played in a thrilling game against Rockland that had a nasty end.

Mustangs 5 Nats 3

It could've gone down as one of the better games of the year but because of the actions of one Rockland player, fans left the Maxville arena with a bitter taste in their mouths.



HAPPY TO BE A MUSTANG: Former junior A and junior B player Charles Hoffman is putting together a fine season with the Mustangs this season.

TODD ANDERSON PHOTO

As the Mustangs celebrated the win with goaltender Mathieu Seguin, Rockland's Jason Gendron came flying into the fray and cross-checked Mustangs' leading scorer Nick Adam.

The play caused an obvious scramble as Mustangs' players mixed it up with Nats' players entering the fray.

Somehow in all of this mess the Mustangs' Pat Lafleche was given a penalty for leaving the bench.

He's been suspended for four games.

Referee Chris Kit seemed to have missed the fact that the game was over and Lafleche was just doing what every other player does after the game . . . skate to the goalie to meet with other teammates.

Lafleche did drop the gloves (as did Lecompte and Pinard) and deserved to receive a game misconduct for fighting but the leaving the bench penalty wasn't deserved.

Lecompte and Pinard each received a two-game suspension.

Lalonde said he was upset with the play and said too bad a good game had to end that way.

"What can you really say. The guys were on the ice to congratulate Seguin and Lafleche turned out to be the lucky candidate to get the leaving the bench penalty. There's no bad feelings between the teams, it was just one of those things that happens."

The game was a thriller as Maxville scored twice in the first and second periods and added a single in the third frame to win 5-3.

Lecompte with two, Jonathon Bray, Ghyslain Laferriere and Andrew Michaud scored for Maxville.

With the win Seguin improved his record to 8-1-0 this year.

Eric Louissgize, Brad Kennedy and Marc Fleurant scored for Rockland.

Adam received an injury to his ribs from the cross-check and missed Sunday's game against the Casselman Stars.

He along with suspended players Lecompte, Pinard and Lafleche would have been handy as the Mustangs fell to the Stars barely.

Stars 7 Mustangs 6

A game that went back-and-forth finally finished on the side of the Stars.

Shawn Cox's goal with 1:35 remaining won it for Casselman.

Maxville once again had a 6-4 lead but wasn't able to hold on.

You have to give a lot of credit to Casselman coach Doug Scharfe for motivating his club with a risky play in the final minute of the second period.

Trailing by that 6-4 score and on the powerplay Scharfe pulled goaltender Andrew Ballantyne for a sixth attacker.

The Stars scored on the two-man advantage making the score 6-5.

That goal seemed to lift the Stars' spirits as they took control of the final period.

The Mustangs had a strong effort from a pair of affiliates as Richard Henderson (two goals) and Ryan Crawford (younger brother of Derek) impressed Lalonde.

"Their play at both ends of the ice was very impressive. They practice with us every week and they were solid on both ends of the ice."

Other goal scorers included Scott Coleman, Laferriere with two and Pascal Gratton.

Dan Desnoyers took the loss in goal.

Lalonde said the teams seems to have jelled together lately.

"Ghyslain scored two very nice goals," said Lalonde.

" Lecompte is playing really well and Nadeau, Hoffman, Seguin and those guys have really helped out. You could see that when they jumped to each others' defence Saturday night."

The Vankleek Hill-Hawkesbury group has been especially great in providing leadership qualities to the team this season.

They seem to be happy with the way things are going.

"I like playing here," said Hoffman.

"We have a good team and the fans are good. We are starting to play like a team."

Mustangs notes:

This weekend the Mustangs host the St. Isidore Eagles at home Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. then travel to St. Isidore for a 8 p.m. start Sunday.

The Mustangs were in action against Vankleek Hill last night.

Lafleche, Pinard, Lecompte and Gratton were all out of the lineup due to suspension.

Mustangs' head coach Andre Paquette will return from holidays to coach Sunday.

Defenceman Peter Winters returned to the team Sunday from an ankle injury.

Strikers, Stars still undefeated

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

The Cornwall Strikers and East Side Mario's Stars both continue to shine in South Glengarry Indoor Soccer League play.

Both team have yet to lose a game this season.

Men's division

Last Sunday in men's action Char-Lan United's Wayne Lee scored with five minutes left to salvage a 1-1 tie with East Side's.

Ian Butcher had given his team the lead just five minutes earlier.

In the other men's game the Cornwall Snipers took advantage of a 10-minute powerplay in beating the Rudi's Rangers 6-2.

Zac Pregent led the charge with three goals.

Garrett Hurrel, Mike Burlotte and Eric Collins rounded out the scoring.

Ladies' division

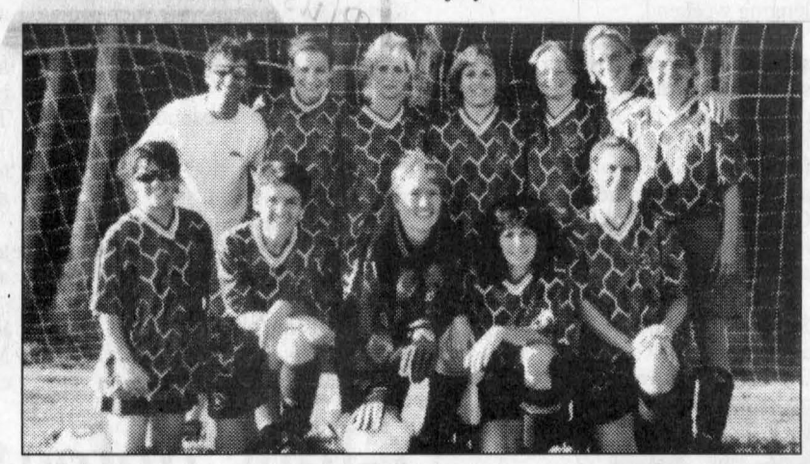
The Cornwall Strikers are 4-0 after a shutout win over the Char-Lan Dazzle.

Linda Blanchet earned the shutout and Julie Lessard with two and Jennifer Bedard scored the goals.

In the other game Char-Lan United and Rudi's Magic tied 0-0.

Shutouts were recorded by Lynn Lefebvre (United) and Calla Humphries.

It was the United's first point of the season.



TOURNAMENT WINNERS: A group of Glengarry ladies participated recently in a 30 and over tournament in Kanata and walked away with the championship in the premier division. Pictured front from left are: Carol Veenstra, Sue Lalonde, Vivian Franklin, Colette Struthers and Wendy Hay. Back row: Phil Lewis, Sherry Murphy, Jackie Fontaine, Shirley Hay, Babs O'Shea, Lori MacMaster and Joanne Dexter.

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Individual efforts dominate GISL

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

In all three ladies' games of the Glengarry Indoor Soccer League this week one player led their teams to victory.

Bobbi Jo MacLeod scored all three goals in the Springer's 3-1 win over JRL. Magella Turcotte replied in the loss.

Kelly MacKinnon had both goals in Atlantic's 2-1 win over Shepherd's.

Emmally McCorkell scored her third for Shepherd's.

In the other ladies' game last week Christine Villeneuve had all the goals in the Northerner's 4-1 win over JRL. Babs O'Shea scored for JRL.

Men's division

Brian Cameron potted six goals bringing his season total to 16 in the Storm's 11-7 shootout win over Glen Nevis.

The winless Glen Nevis squad made a valiant comeback after trailing 8-2 bringing the score to 8-7. The Storm was too strong in the end though as Robin Basara and Donald MacDougald added two and Dean MacGillivray had one.

Dan MacPherson with three, Mattias Mader with two, Richard MacMillan and Nelson MacPherson scored in the loss.

In the other game the Express edged Shepherd's 2-1.

Trevor Marley and Travis Giroux scored in the win and Andy Szelid potted his first for Shepherd's.

Midget Glens on a roll

By Todd Anderson
Sports Editor

The Alexandria Auto Glass midget Glens are undefeated in the month of November.

The Glens latest 3-3 tie against Vankleek Hill Saturday has continued a run that has seen them without a loss in their last four games.

Their last defeat was a 3-2 setback against St. Isidore on Oct. 28.

On Saturday it looked like the Glens' streak was over until Shane O'Brien scored with 3:04 left to salvage the tie.

Rock Lebrun and Julien Quesnel also scored for the Glens.

On Remembrance Day the Glens got some revenge against St. Isidore winning 4-3. Kris Hehn was credited with the winner.

Steven Stewart, Roch Beauclair and Mark Bigras also scored.

A day earlier the Glens doubled Casselman 4-2.

Quesnel with two, Rock Lebrun and O'Brien scored the goals.

In their first game of the month on Nov. 3 Alexandria nipped Rockland 4-3. Stewart, Hehn, Lebrun and Bigras scored in the win.

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COUNTY STATISTICS

HOCKEY

Eastern Ontario Jr. B Hockey League

St. Lawrence Division

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Char-Lan	**18**	**14**	**3**	**1**	**110**	**51**	**29**
Alexandria	**18**	**11**	**5**	**2**	**76**	**64**	**24**
Kemptville	18	8	9	1	77	75	18
Winchester	18	8	9	1	75	84	17
Akwesasne	18	5	11	2	60	90	13
Morrisburg	19	4	12	3	59	89	11

EOJBHL results

Nov. 14 Morrisburg 3 at Brockville 5 **Nov. 15** Akwesasne 1 at Athens 7 **Nov. 16** Kemptville 1 at Westport 7, Brockville 1 at Alexandria 4, Char-Lan 3 at South Grenville 1, Gananoque 3 at Winchester 8 **Nov. 17** Westport 4 at Akwesasne 2, Athens 1 at Char-Lan 11 **Nov. 18** Westport 6 at Morrisburg 4, Alexandria 4 at Gananoque 4 OT, South Grenville 6 at Kemptville 7 OT, Winchester 4 at Athens 3

St. Lawrence leading scorers

	G	A	PTS
Chris Nielson, Win.	11	27	38
Adam Spirk, Kemp.	20	14	34
Andrew Miller, Kemp.	14	17	31
Sylvain Routhier, Akw.	10	19	29
Shawn Smail, Win.	15	12	27
Nick Dubé, Char.	8	17	25
Louis Brisson, Alex	8	16	24
Simon Langevin, Alex.	6	17	23
Jason Lepine, Char.	9	13	22
Derek Duval, Char.	8	14	22

Eastern Ontario Jr. C Hockey League

	G	W	L	T	Pts	Gf	Ga
Vankleek Hill	14	12	1	1	25	95	37
Embrun	15	11	3	1	23	87	50
Rockland	15	10	5	0	20	81	60
Maxville	**15**	**8**	**7**	**0**	**16**	**74**	**67**
Casselman	20	7	11	2	16	77	111
Vanier	14	2	10	2	6	53	93
St. Isidore	15	1	12	2	4	46	96

Teams losing in overtime receive one point but it is counted as a loss in standings.

EOJCHL results

Maxville 6 at Embrun 8, Casselman 2 at Vanier 7, Rockland 3 at Maxville 5, Casselman 3 at Vankleek Hill 6, Maxville 6 at Casselman 7, Embrun 3 at Rockland 4

Char-Lan Minor Hockey Association House League

Novice

Rudi Payer 3 (Mackenzie Roy 3) **Longevity Acrylic 1** (Mandon Smith), **Curry Hill Lumber 3** (Jesse Fontaine 2, Jacob Fourney) **Longevity Acrylic o, The Vertical Factory 3** (Jonathon Pigeon 2, Jordan Brunet) **Rozon Insurance 1** (Duncan MacDonald)

Atom

CDGM 4 (Nigel McCoy 2, Nicolas Glaude, Zachary Pidgeon) **Jim Pickens Flooring 3** (Callum Cumming, Kelly Thompson, Colin Poirier) **Lancaster Optimist 2** (Cody Fontaine, Lloyd Fourney) **Jim Pickens Flooring 1** (Brandon Picken)

Peewee

Roy's Pontiac Buick 2 (J.F Glaude, Tyson Girling) **Sylvain Bosse Tooth 1** (John Lang), **Lancaster Vet Clinic 3** (Jeffrey Duval 2, Scott McDonald) **Roy's Pontiac Buick 1** (Kelby Sloan), **Cornwall Aviation 2** (Josh Gibeau, Alex Glasgow) **Sylvain Bosse Tooth 1** (Robert Powell)

Bantam-midget

Raisin River Marina 6 (Pierre Luc Legros 3, Scott Etherington, Chris Gauthier, Mike Cella) **GT Custom Work 2** (Adrian Eykens, Denis Allaire), **St. Pierre Auto Pro 5** (Jeremy MacDonald 3, Marc Andre Richer, Stephan Hirschmann) **Alfann Farms 3** (David Jans 2, Renee Lalande), **Raisin River Marina 2** (Pierre Luc Legros, Marc Lapierre) **Alfann Farms 1** (Patrick Leblanc)

BOWLING

Alexandria Lanes results

From Nov. 11 to Nov. 17

First column: High singles
Second column: High series

Sunday 5-pin Mixed league

Sandra St. Louis 190	Sandra St. Louis 502
J.C Cadieux 265	David Nieman 622

Sunday 10-pin mixed

Marilyn Roy 175	Marilyn Roy 495
Marc McGuire 197	Marc McGuire 509

Ladies Commercial League

Joanne Nadeau 310	Maureen Lavigne 781

Monday 10-pin

Keith Massia 246	Michel Menard 590

Tuesday 5-pin mixed

Marie-Josee Faubert 272	Bonnie Cardinal 626
Donald Dashney 252	George Lavigne 657

Monkland 10-pin

Don Massia 214	Keith Massia 567

Mens Commercial League

Guy Menard 340	Guy Menard 881

Wednesday 5-pin

France Menard 315	France Menard 775
Don Boismenu 295	Rejean Menard 633

Wednesday 10-pin mixed

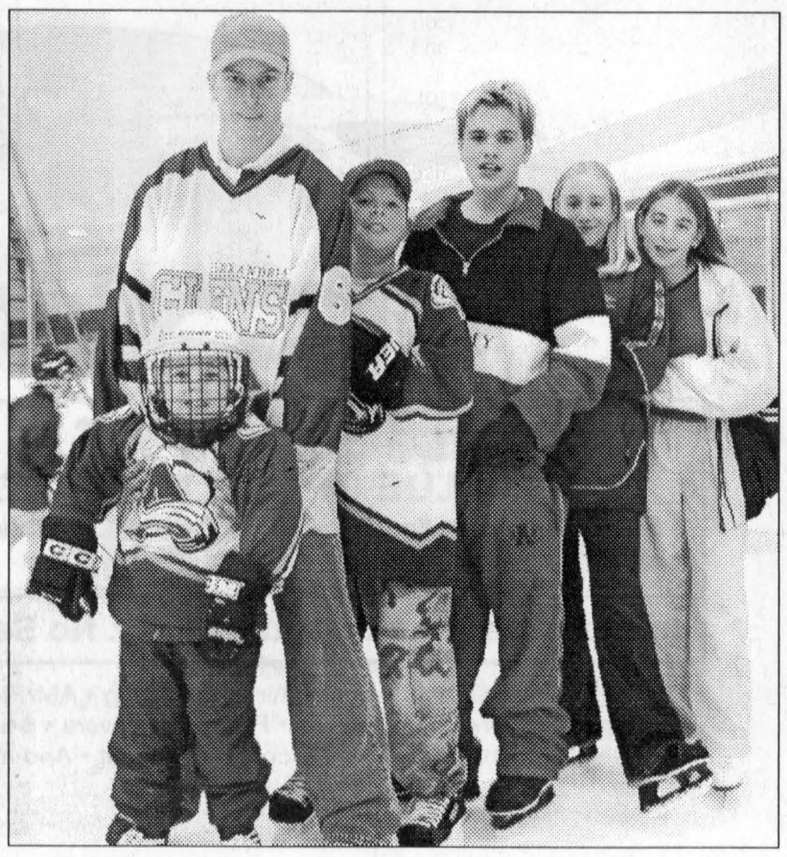
Dorothy Burnett 160	Dorothy Burnett 391
Terry Derouchie 185	Terry Derouchie 497

Thursday Mixed 10-pin

Bonnie Cardinal 193	Leanne Duval 502
Maurice Seguin 253	Maurice Seguin 617

Apple Hill Thursday mixed

Melba Murray 258	Melba Murray 458
Carl Grant 255	Carl Grant 431



50TH ANNIVERSARY: As part of the Drug Awareness Campaign by the Eastern Ontario Health Unit, youth got a chance to "Skate with the Glens" on Friday night at Billy Gebbie Arena. From left are Pierre-Luc Sabourin, Glens' Eric Leroux, Matthew Pidgeon, Jamie Lavigne, Samantha Chabot and Amanda Chabot, who formed a train. GREG PEERENBOOM PHOTO

INDOOR SOCCER

Char-Lan Indoor Soccer League

Mens' division

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
East Side Marios	5	4	0	2	18	10	9
Char-Lan United	5	2	2	1	19	9	5
Cornwall Snipers	5	2	3	0	16	12	4
Rudi's Rangers	5	1	4	0	10	28	2

Womens' division

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Cornwall Stikers	4	4	0	0	13	5	8
Char-Lan Stars	4	3	1	0	12	4	6
Rudi's Magic	4	1	2	1	9	8	3
Char-Lan United	3	0	2	1	0	7	1
Char-Lan Dazzle	3	0	3	0	1	11	0

Glengarry Indoor Soccer League

Men's division

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Storm	4	4	0	0	29	18	8
Shepherd's	4	2	2	0	13	13	4
Express	4	2	2	0	11	13	4
Glens Nevis	4	0	4	0	14	23	0

Women's division

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Atlantic Hotel	5	4	1	0	21	9	8
Springers	5	3	2	0	14	14	6
Northerners	4	2	1	1	12	10	5
Shepherd's	5	2	2	1	18	12	5
JRL Lettering	5	0	5	0	4	25	0

Glens: Sauve happy with tie vs. Gananoque

(Continued from page 15)

Gananoque.

Sauve said he was happy with the tie.

"It could've been a game that we walk away with two points or no points. We were short-staffed and it was a road game so I'm happy with the point."

Two nights earlier the Glens handled the respectable Tikis with ease.

Glens 4 Tikis 1

Glens' keeper Felix Limoges was 3:44 away from his first shutout of the season before Brockville's leading scorer Casey Reilly scored his 13th goal of the season.

At that point the Glens were leading 4-0, that softened the blow a little.

The Tikis are playing to the same level as the St. Lawrence division-leading Char-Lan Rebels, a team the Glens have also held the edge against this year.

The game started off slowly for Alexandria as Sauve admitted Brockville took it to his team for the first 10 minutes.

After that it was the Glens who turned it on.

Decoste scored one minute into the second period and the Glens didn't look back from there.

Simon Menard scored under five minutes later while the Glens were killing a penalty to double the lead.

In the third period Vanden Oetelaar and Steven Owens scored to make it 4-0.

Simon Langevin assisted on two Glens' goals in the game.

Sauve commended his starting goaltender for the win.

"Limoges played very well. He was very fast and controlled the puck when it hit him. There were no rebounds."

Glens notes:

The Glens will host the South Grenville Rangers (5-13-0) Friday night starting at 8:30 p.m.

On Sunday they travel to Westport to take on the Rideaus (10-8-1) starting at 3 p.m.

"It's an important game Friday," said Sauve.

"Prescott will be a test. Then we head into Westport, a team on the rise. They're always tough and it's tough to play in their barn."

With a win this weekend the Glens will guarantee themselves a spot in the Boxing Day tournament.

"It's going to be a bonus for the young guys," said Sauve.

Marc Mainville left Sunday's game early after receiving a cross check from behind and hitting the boards head first.

Sauve expects him back in the line-up this weekend.

Assistant captain Ghyslain Valade is taking the next two weeks off to let his injured wrist recuperate.

Sauve said he doesn't want to take any chances with Valade which might make the injury worse.

With the addition of Thauvette, Sauve has decided to start using offensive-minded J.F. Menard as a forward.

Jeff Lobb didn't play Sunday because of work commitments.



ENGAGEMENT

Don and Peggy MacRae of Apple Hill are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Ronnie to Chris Leroux. Chris is the son of Gerald and Barbara Leroux of Monkland. The wedding will take place in August, 2002. 47-1c



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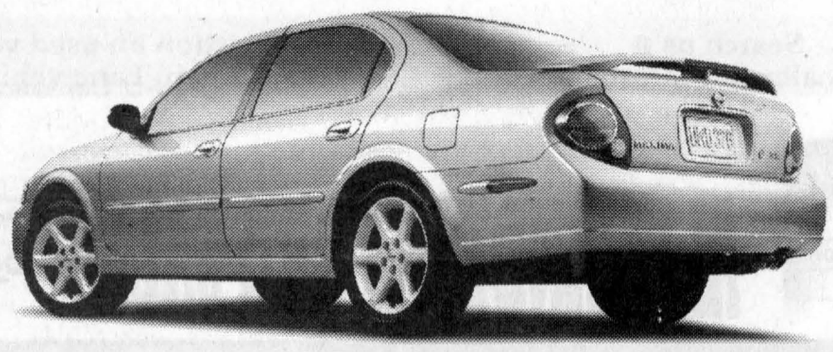

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AGRICULTURE



GLENGARRY REPRESENTED: At the Prescott County Holstein Club banquet, three Lochiel ward dairy farmers were present to accept awards for the Holstein Show. From left, Donald McCrimmon won Reserve Junior Champion Female with Boreraig Milan Stormy, David MacMillan won Reserve Grand Champion Female with Cherry Crest Clover, Ian Fraser won Grand Champion Female with Gleneil Linjet Ginger. PHOTO GREG PEERENBOOM

Prescott Holstein Club gives annual awards

The Prescott County Holstein Club held its annual awards banquet on Nov. 17 at the Vankleek Hill Arena.

Veteran Breeder pins were presented to Murray J. Allen for 40 years and Kenneth and Donald Howes for 30 years.

Bruno Lauzon received a Veteran Member pin for his 40 years of membership.

The Ontario Dairy Youth Award was presented to Stefan Kunz for Redstone.

Beaustyle Activée earned Jean-Marie Laurin First Homebred Very Good honours.

High Combination Herd awards went to Stéphane and Julie Villeneuve and Sons Inc. for Vioris and to Toni Wicki for Rigidale.

Justin Lavigne earned the Spirit of 4-H Dairy award.

Production Awards

Herd management: 1. Stefan and Linda Kunz, 59 records, 970 pts. 2. Jean-Claude Brunet, 24 records, 960 pts. 3. Bruno and Tammy Houle, 63 records, 935 points. 4. Guy and Carol Levac, 109 records, 925 pts. 5. Alain and Lise-Anne Delorme, 56 records, 925 pts. 6. Wylie Brothers, 112 records, 895 pts. 7. Ken and Peggy Wilkes, 67 records, 895 pts. Sylvain A. Levac, 92 records, 890 pts. 9. Luc Fredette, 80 records, 870 pts. 10. Collège d'Alfred, 42 records, 865 pts.

Highest herd average BCA: 1. Luc Fredette, 3X, 61 rec., 12,310. 2. Pierre Bercier, 61 rec., 11,990, George and Linda Heinzle, 56 rec., 11,194. 4. Duffey et Frères, 95 rec., 10,847. 5. Yvon Ravary, 75 rec., 10,990. 6. Simon and Irene Jappert, 53 rec., 11,150. 7. Alain and Lise-Anne Delorme, 50 rec., 10,311. 8. Guy and Carol Levac, 94 rec., 10,967. 9. Sylvain A. Levac, 70 rec., 10,658. 10. Rémi Gauthier et Fils, 124 rec., 10,674.

Greatest herd BCA increase: 1. Jean-Marie Laurin, 45 rec., +33.67 pts. 2. Mario Laniel, 31 rec., +30 pts. 3. Lukas Kaiser, 76 rec., +25.66 pts.

Highest BCA cow: 1. Terryland Jewel Jessica, George and Linda Heinzle. 2. Des Prairies Toutou, Bruce and Susan Mode. 3. Beaver Ray Star Modella, Rémi Leroux.

High component cow: Beaver Ray Star Modella, Rémi Leroux

Superior production awards: Pierre Bercier (23), Louis Brunet (12), Réjean Cardinal , Collège d'Alfred (3), Duffey et Frères (29), Ferme Agriguay (6), Ferme Beaustyle (6), Ferme Frédéric Ltd. (31), Ferme Mirella Inc. (13), Ferme Saint-Denis (5), Ferme Sylvano (16), Ferme Wendelin (14), Rémi Gauthier et Fils (23), F and H Haerle Farms Inc. (4), George and Linda Heinzle (12), Simon and Irene Jappert (3), Stefan and Linda Kunz, Lavigne et Frères (6), Rémi Leroux (2), Alain and Claudine Poirier (2), Yvon Ravary (7), Springlorme Farms (7), Toni Wicki (3), Wilkridge Farm, Wylie Brothers.

Star Brood cows

One star awards: Allenlee Farms Ltd., Benacadie Farms, Caneda Holsteins, Elm Lane Farms (2), Ferme A.G.L. Malette Ltd. (2), Ferme Mario Laniel, Ferme Mirella Inc., Ferme Saint-Denis (3), Ferme Wendelin, Jacques Lamarche (3), Kenneth Unsworth, Lavigne et Frères, Murray J. Allen and Sons, Neil and Bryan Anderson, Pierre Bercier, Rémi Gauthier et Fils, Rémi Leroux, S and J Villeneuve and Sons Inc. (2), Toni Wicki (2), Willemsdale Inc., Wylie Brothers (2).

Two star awards: Arthur K. Leroy, Burnacres Farms, Ferme A.G.L. Malette Ltd., Ferme Beaustyle, Ferme Saint-Denis, Jacques Lamarche, Lavigne et Frères, Rémi Leroux, S and J Villeneuve and Sons Inc.

Three star award: Ferme Beaustyle.

Four star award: Ferme A.G.L. Malette Ltd.

Six star award: Toni Wicki.

Prescott County Holstein Show awards

Grand Champion female: Gleneil Linjet Ginger, Neil and Ian Fraser.

Reserve Grand Champion female: Vioris Charles Ann, Stéphane and Julie Villeneuve and Sons Inc.

Junior Champion female: Cherry Crest Clover, David and Ann-Marie MacMillan.

Reserve Junior Champion female: Boreraig Milan Stormy, Donald McCrimmon.

Beauty and Utility award: Vioris Charles Ann, Stéphane and Julie Villeneuve and Sons Inc.

Breeder's Herd: Stéphane and Julie Villeneuve and Sons Inc.

Junior Breeder's Herd: Donald McCrimmon.

Premier Exhibitor, Banner for Premier Exhibitor, Premier Breeder and Banner for Premier Breeder: Stéphane and Julie Villeneuve and Sons Inc.

New 4-H mini-store

4-H NEWS

MARGO PATRICK
347-7298

As the Christmas decorations pop up all over the landscape, there is no doubt that Christmas is coming!

4-H Ontario has a new mini-store with lots of great gift ideas for 4-H members for the festive season.

Christmas Ideas include a fleece vest for $45, a sports bag for $18, and a fleece sweater for $55. There are lots of stocking stuffers as well – a fanny pack for $6.50, a ball cap for $6.50, a cd case for $12, or a Frisbee for $1.75.

All items are extremely well made and come in forest green with the 4-H Ontario label tastefully displayed.

If you have internet access, these items and others can be viewed at: www.4-hontario.ca/ministore.cfm.

Sizes are ladies and mens small to extra large. All prices quoted do not include taxes and shipping. The Glengarry 4-H Association will be placing an order next week, so if you are interested in any of these items, please let Margo (347-7298) know by Friday.

On the local front, t-shirts are always available from our Association. These shirts are dark green with the 4-H logo on the front and Glengarry on the back. Sizes are large and extra large - the price is $15. Talk to any leader or call Margo.

The first camp of the 2002 season is accepting applications from members. The Provincial Leadership Camp is held every two years.

Members 15-21 (before Jan 1, 2002) are invited to come to Port Sydney, Ont. from March 9-14. Camp participants will enjoy great times and great fellowship with fellow 4-Hers from across Ontario. In the past few years, several members from Glengarry have attended this camp, and all have come home with raving reviews! Applications are accepted on a first come, first served basis, so get your application forms in now! Deadline for application is Jan. 15, 2002.

CANADIAN TIRE

CORRECTION NOTICE

We wish to draw your attention to the following in our current "Gifts Galore" Flyer

Page 27 - Item 1 - Staple/Nail Combo Pack, 57-7949-8
Copy reads: 29.99
Should read: Sale price 10.49. Save 30%
Page 27 - Item 2 - Forward Action Sureshot Staple Gun, 57-7916-6
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Glengarry Soil & Crop Improvement Association
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MAURICE GIRARD
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Diplômé de l'I.T.A de Saint-Hyacinthe, il est détenteur de certificats en gestion financière et en gestion d'entreprises du Réseau HEC et de l'Ordre des technologues professionnels du Québec. M. Girard possède 22 années d'experience au sein de grandes institutions financières.



Graduate of Laval University in agro-economics and with 10 years experience, Mr. Garneau originally from a dairy farm has worked with such agricultural intitutions such as *les Syndicats de gestion agricole, la Régie des Assurances agricoles du Québec et l'Union des producteurs agricoles du Québec (UPA).*

SYLVAIN GARNEAU
Agricultural account manager
Diplômé de l'Université Laval en agro-économie et cumulant 10 années d'experience, M. Garneau, natif d'une ferme laitière a oeuvré au sein de grandes institutions agricoles telles que les Syndicats de gestion agricole, la Régie des Assurances agricoles du Québec et l'Union des producteurs agricoles du Québec (UPA).



Graduate of Alfred College/ University of Guelph with a certificate in International Agriculture and Development as well as a diploma in Agricultural Technology. The son of a farmer, he has a vast experience in agricultural management and is a member of several local organizations.

NICHOLAS DESSAINT
Agricultural Services Associate
Diplômé du Collège d'Alfred de l'Université de Guelph, il a complété un certificat en Agriculture et Développement international en plus d'un diplôme de Technologie Agricole. Fils d'agriculteur, il possède une vaste expérience en gestion et en production agricole et est membre de différentes organisations du milieu.



As a graduate of *l'Ecole Commerciale* she has many years of experience in the business world and client service, mainly in the financial sector.

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Announcements



The marriage of
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and LISA McMILLAN
took place in Ottawa at the R/A Centre on November 17/01.
The Bride, Lisa Dolan is the daughter of Rick and Marie Dolan of Limoges.
The Groom, Bradley MacMillan is the son of Keith McMillan of Alexandria, Yolande Bellefeuille, and step-son of Anthony Denobriga of Maxville.
The couple will reside in Casselman.

Deaths

MUNRO & MORRIS
Funeral Homes Inc.
MAXVILLE BRANCH

FITZGERALD, BARRY -On Nov. 8, 2001 after a short illness at Summerland, B.C., age 70 years. Survived by his wife Sadie, his daughter Maureen (Kelly) McGinn of Amherst Island, his sisters Velma Franklin of St. Elmo and Sheila (Harvey) Leroy of St. Eugene and many nieces and nephews. He was born in Parent, Que., the only son of the late James N. Fitzgerald and the late Stella Graham Fitzgerald. He attended public school in Parent and high school in Maxville where his family moved in 1946. He spent his working life with DuPont Research in Kingston. After the death of his first wife Sally Small he married Sadie Reid of Oakville and spent a happy period of retirement on the shores of Lake Okanagan. Cremation followed by interment in Kingston. 47-1c

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ALEXANDRIA BRANCH

CAMPEAU, ROSAIRE -Suddenly at the Glengarry Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, Nov. 13, 2001. Rosaire Campeau of North Lancaster, age 54 years. He will be sadly missed by his two sons, Marc (Nancy) of Alexandria and Alain (Melanie) of North Lancaster and their mother Barbara. Dear brother of Georges (Jocelyne), Jean-Marie (Sue), Roger (Gisele) and Normand (Suzanne) all of Coteau-du-Lac and Gerard (Pauline) of Chateauguay. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Dear son of the late Eugene Campeau and the late Marie-Jeanne Bourbonnais. Relatives and friends called at Munro and Morris Funeral Home, 114 Main Street South, Alexandria on Friday, Nov. 16. Mass of Christian Burial was held in St. Margaret of Scotland Roman Catholic Church, Glen Nevis on Saturday, Nov. 17. Interment followed in the Parish Cemetery. Memorial donations to the Ottawa Heart Institute appreciated. 47-1c

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Funeral Homes Inc.
LANCASTER BRANCH

LEROUX, DOREEN -Peacefully at the Glengarry Memorial Hospital, Alexandria on Monday, Nov. 12, 2001 at the age of 91 yrs. Doreen (nee Carriere) of Bainsville beloved wife of the late Adrien Leroux. Loving mother of Ernest Leroux (Rita) of Richelieu, Quebec, Ada Bourque (Raoul) of St. Hyacinthe, Quebec and Jeannine St Pierre (Gilles) of St. Jean-sur-Richelieu, Quebec. Will be sadly missed by 26 grandchildren and 1 great-granddaughter. Dear sister of Jeannine Carriere of Montreal, Que., Lily Chenier of Cornwall, Adrien Carriere of Summerstown and Wilfred Carriere of Cornwall. Predeceased by two brothers and two sisters. Daughter of the late Albert Carriere and the late Elida Daoust. Relatives and friends called at Munro and Morris Funeral Home, Oak Street, Lancaster on Wednesday, Nov. 14. Mass of Christian Burial was held in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Lancaster on Thursday, Nov. 15 followed by interment in the parish cemetery. 47-1c

Death Notice

FRASER, Annie Keytha –Peacefully at Carlingview Manor, Ottawa, on Thursday, November 15, 2001 in her 89th year. Dear daughter of the late Alexander Fraser and Margaret MacMillan and loving sister of Dorothy Gould. Predeceased by her sisters Sarah, Jean, Grace and her brother, Claude. Private family funeral arrangements. Interment at MacLachlin Cemetery, Vankleek Hill, Ont. Arrangements in care of the Central Chapel of Hulse, Playfair and McGarry, Ottawa (613-233-1143). 47-1p

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ALEXANDRIA BRANCH

DUDAR, VICTOR – Passed away peacefully on Thursday, Nov. 15, 2001 at the Glengarry Memorial Hospital, Alexandria. Beloved husband of the late Violet Victoria Green. Cherished father of Susan Hansen (Neil) of Vancouver, British Columbia. Dear friend of Sash and David Provost, Albert Brewer and numerous others. A funeral service was held in the chapel of Munro & Morris Funeral Homes, 114 Main Street S., Alexandria on Tuesday, Nov. 20 at 11 am. Interment followed in the Alexandria United Church cemetery. Donations to the Royal Canadian Legion would be greatly appreciated by the family.
"The long war over, got home at last." 47-1c

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ALEXANDRIA BRANCH

McDONALD, ALEXANDER JOHN (Alex) – At the Glengarry Memorial Hospital on Wednesday, Nov. 7, 2001. Alexander John (Alex) McDonald of RR5 Alexandria, age 96 years. He was the son of the late John J. (Roy) McDonald and the late Anne McCormick. Predeceased by his sister Bessie Margaret McDonald and his brother Donald Archie McDonald. Visitation was held at Munro & Morris Funeral Home, 114 Main Street South, Alexandria on Friday, Nov. 9. Mass of Christian Burial was held in St. Alexander's Roman Catholic Church, Lochiel on Saturday, Nov. 10. Rev. Daniel Gauthier officiated. Interment followed in the parish cemetery. 47-1c

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ALEXANDRIA BRANCH

THEORET, GEORGINA – Peacefully at home after a long illness on Saturday, Nov. 3, 2001. Aged 62 years. Georgina Bellefeuille of Fassifern, beloved wife of Gerald Theoret. Loving mother of Joanne Proulx, Linda Dubeau and Wayne Theoret. Dear grandmother of Lisa and Christine Dubeau and Gary Proulx. Daughter of the late James Bellefeuille and the late Cassie Willard. Prede-ceased by five sisters, Julianne Seguin, May Campeau, Irene Bellefeuille, Jeannette Villeneuve, Blanche Robinson and two brothers, Raymond and James Bellefeuille. Mass of Christian burial was held at St. Finnan's Cathedral, Alexandria on Tuesday, Nov. 6 at 11 a.m. followed by interment at St. Alexander's parish cemetery, Lochiel. Pallbearers were Rolland Bellefeuille, Michel Bellefeuille, Percy Bellefeuille, Gilles Bellefeuille, Yvon Bellefeuille and Gary Proulx. 47-1c

In Memoriam



RITA BRUNET (nee Proulx)
In loving memory of a dear mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother who passed away November 22, 2000.
The loss and sorrow we keep inside can never be taken away.
We miss your love, your compassion and those happy days when we were all together, your smile and especially that teasing laughter during those card games which you enjoyed so much.
We thank God you were part of our lives.
Sadly missed and always remembered by Royal and Nancy, Rémi and Jocelyne and Diane and Rock, 47-1p
grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Deaths

MUNRO & MORRIS
Funeral Homes Inc.
MAXVILLE BRANCH

MACGREGOR, ARCHIE -Peacefully at home on Sunday, Nov. 18, 2001. Archie MacGregor of Moose Creek, age 75 years. Beloved husband of Lorna Campbell. Dear father of Susan, Sharon (Bob Ramsay), Scott, Stephen (Darlene) and Stuart. Proud grandfather of Matthew, Andrew, Jillian and Maxime MacGregor, Stephanie and Robbie Ramsay. Dear brother of Jean, Roy (Lyn) and Ken (Ruby) MacGregor. Predeceased by his brother Allan. Service in memory of Archie will be held in the chapel of Munro & Morris Funeral Home Main Street, Maxville on Sunday, Nov. 25 at 2 p.m. If so desired donations to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated. 47-1c

In Memoriam

MONTGOMERY –In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather who passed away November 18, 1976.
Your presence we miss.
Your memory we treasure.
Remembering you always,
Forgetting you never.
– Love, Mabel and family 47-1p

LAGROIX, Alexander –August 23, 1898 to Nov. 23, 1981
Even though twenty years have passed since we lost you, we remember you Dad/Grandpa with love. Your grandchildren now grown, still speak of dancing around the kitchen with you while standing on your toes!
– Earl, Deanna and family 47-1p

BÉLANGER –In loving memory of a dear father, Grandpa, father-in-law, Moïse who passed away November 21, 1980 and dear mother, Grandma, mother-in-law, Angelina, who passed away November 19, 1989.
Resting where no shadows fall,
In perfect peace he awaits us all
God will link the broken chain,
As one by one we meet again.
– Sadly missed and always remembered by dear son, Claude and family 47-1p

MUNRO, Hughie Donald –In loving memory of our dear father, father-in-law and Grandpa who left us 30 years ago, November 25, 1971.
Like falling leaves the years slip by
But loving memories never die.
They live with us in memory still
Not just today but always will.
–. Sadly missed and always remembered by Mamie, Lorne and family 47-1p

LAJOIE, Albert –In loving memory of a dear father, grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather who left us November 26, 1994.
God called your name so softly
That only you could hear
And no one heard the footsteps
Of angels drawing near.
It broke our hearts to lose you
But you did not go alone
For a part of us went with you.
The day God called you home.
– "Gone but not forgotten.", Barbara, Shirley, Mary Jane, Elizabeth Ann and Linda and families 47-1p

LAJOIE, Albert –In loving memory of my dear grandfather who passed away November 26, 1994.
Deep in our hearts there's a picture
More precious than silver or gold.
'Tis a picture of a dear grandfather
Whose memory will never grow old.
– Loved and always remembered, Grace and Robert 47-1p

Card of Thanks

PICKETT, Allan –The family of the late Allan G. Pickett who passed away Nov. 3, 2001 wishes to express their sincere thanks and gratitude to family, friends and neighbours for their many kind expressions of sympathy during our recent loss. Thanks also to Dr. Nadeau and Chris Munro of Munro & Morris Funeral Homes for their care and assistance. Everyone's thoughtfulness will always be remembered.
– Sheila Pickett and family 47-1n/c

McDONELL, Ray –Our sincere thanks are extended to so many people for their kindness during Ray's illness and at the time of his death. We deeply appreciate the professional and compassionate care of Dr. Redda, Dr. Paul Irwin, the staff of Second Floor South and Barbara Ann Zummach, Palliative Care, Cornwall General Hospital. Our heartfelt thanks to Nancy Contant of St. Elizabeth's and to Lise McDonell and her Home Care staff for their devotion allowing Dad a dignified and peaceful death in the place he loved best. Our gratitude to the staff of Munro & Morris Funeral Homes for their kindly guidance and care. We were honoured by the presence of the clergy at the funeral: Rev. Daniel Gauthier, pastor of St. Margaret of Scotland Church; Rev. Eric Roy, former pastor; Msgr. D. B. McDougald; Rev. B. Cameron and Rev. G. Ostler. Special thanks to Rev. Kevin O'Brien, Ray's nephew, who shared our vigil and our sorrow, celebrated the Funeral Mass and gave Ray a moving tribute. Thanks to the pallbearers, the musicians and choir members for their time and talent. We are grateful to all who sent food to our homes and who prepared and served the lunch following the funeral. Loving thanks to our family, friends and neighbours for their visitations, mass offerings, flowers, charitable donations, calls, prayers and countless acts of kindness. We celebrate Ray's life and mourn his death in the company of friends. We will always remember.
– Katherine McDonell and family 47-1p

LIBBOS, Jack –The family of the late Jack Libbos would like to thank relatives, friends and neighbours for their kind expressions of sympathy, food, cards, flowers, visits and donations to the Parkinson Society of Canada. Thanks to the Community Nursing Home for their excellent care. Special thanks to the nurses and staff on the second floor for the many kindnesses shown to Jack. Thanks to Dr. Millman, Rev. Ian McMillan and Elizabeth Caddell, the organist and to the members of the Masonic Lodge. We appreciate all the support. Thank you.
Patricia Libbos and family 47-1p

Card of Thanks

FULLARD, Adelaide –There are so many people to thank and so few appropriate words. During Mom's illness and stays at Ottawa Civic, Hotel Dieu and Glengarry Memorial hospitals before and after her surgery, we received kindness and compassion from so many. The nurses and RPNs at Hotel Dieu 5 North always went the extra mile to ensure Mom's care and comfort. The nursing staff at Glengarry Memorial were most kind, caring and professional. Thank you all, you are the best. To Dr. Marleau for his presence and compassion in his care for Mom over the years; to Ron Munro and staff for taking over and making a very sad time so much more bearable; to friends, family and neighbours for food, cards, flowers, messages and donations and to my co-workers at the *Glengarry News* for their continued support during a most difficult time. We thank you all for your kindness.
– Brenda, Rene, Jessica and Diane Goulet 47-n/c

GOLDEN –Thank you to everyone who attended my 90th birthday party. Thank you to the fiddlers who provided such great music for us. You all helped make it a wonderful day. Thank you.
– Dora Golden 47-1p

SAMSON, Alice –The family of the late Mme. Alice Samson, who passed away September 19, 2001 at the age of 92 years, her husband Emile, children Fernand (Jacqueline) and Simone Campeau (Gilles), her grandchildren and great-grandchildren would like to extend a sincere thank you to all for your expressions of sympathy and affection; your presence at the funeral, mass offerings, cards, flowers and memorial donations. Your support gave us great comfort at a difficult time. Also a special thank you to St. Joseph's Villa, Cornwall, for the wonderful care given to our mother and to Msgr. Rudy Villeneuve, St. Joseph's Parish, Lancaster. Please accept this as a personal thank you to each and everyone.
– The family of Mme. Alice Samson 47-1p

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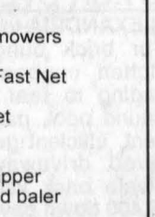
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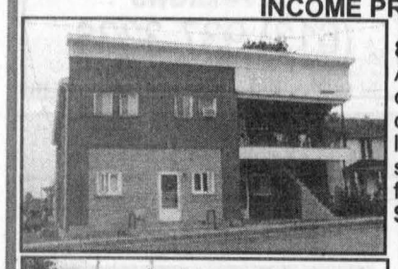
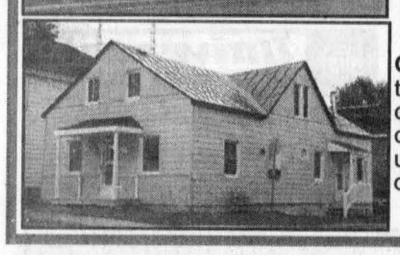


8-UNIT BUILDING in north end of Alexandria. Excellent investment opportunity. Lockers and washer/dryer facilities for tenants and ideally located near train station and high school. Oil hot water heating. Call for an appointment to view. **$185,000.** MLS.



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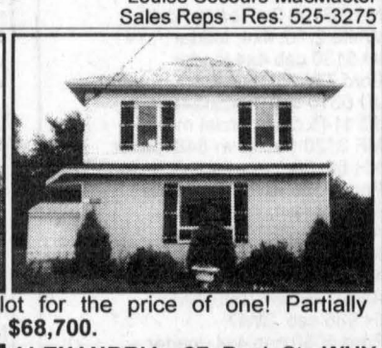

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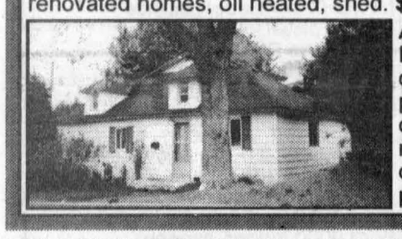

ALEXANDRIA: 27 Peel St. **WHY PAY RENT?** With less than $3,000 downpayment and approx. $300 per month you can be the proud owner of this 4-br home, gas heat, nice kitchen, centrally located, close to park, trails, school, church plus view of lake. **Only $54,900.**

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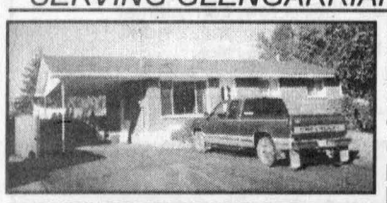

ALEXANDRIA town, **JUST LISTED:** 3-br brick bungalow, new oak kitchen cupboards, dining area leading to rear deck and above ground pool, partly finished basement, efficient gas heating, double paved driveway and fenced-in private back yard. MLS. **PRICED FOR IMMEDIATE SALE WITH ONLY $5,400 down payment. CALL NOW.**



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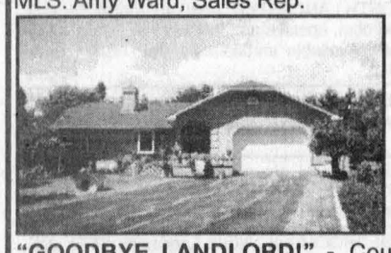

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FOR SALE: 22005 Main St., east edge of Glen Robertson. Good country atmosphere. Comfortable home in very good condition. 3 bedrooms, oil forced air furnace, warm house. Large lot, 98x130, lawn. Several trees. Room for a garden. Health approved septic, drilled well. Brick exterior. House is ready to move in. For info tel. 613-525-1928. 47-2p

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FOR RENT: 4 bedroom, 4 year old bungalow in the country, 2 kms west of Lancaster. Available Dec. 1. Tel. 347-3611. 47-t/f

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ALEXANDRIA, ALL UPDATED: 23 St. James St., everything new in last 15 years, new windows, high efficiency oil furnace, turbine on roof, new back deck, 3 brs, lot 50x216. All for low **$65,000.**



BEGINNER HOME, great location, at a very reasonable price at north edge of Lancaster, on street behind Max's Mini-mart, all new windows, 100 amp. breakers, new metal roof, 3-brs, lot 75x160. Vacant so is ready to move in. **$46,800**



ALEXANDRIA, AMAZING BACK YARD: Magnificent 40x18 inground swimming pool, deck overlooking pool, all carpeted around, no maintenance, enjoy leisure time at home. Totally updated impressive 3-br bungalow, recent windows, pocket doors, gas fireplace in finished basement, whirlpool bathtub, central vac, garburator, carport and much more. **$109,900.**





CHARMING, EARLY CENTURY, MAXVILLE - Stately attractive home, natural wood staircase, 3 brs, oil furnace, many features, large lot 104x134, located at 18 Marlborough St., Maxville. Town sewers. **$69,900.**



BRAND NEW BUNGALOW - CURRY HILL: Treat yourself to deluxe cupboards, hardwood floors, 2 bathrms, etc. Bright high dry basement. Partial view of St. Lawrence River. Located east of Curry Hill on paved County Road 2, easy commute to Montreal. New lowered price of **$119,800.**



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MAGNIFICENT HOME: At east edge of Glen Robertson. You must see this 1,200 sq. ft. appealing inviting bright bungalow with all finished basement, 2 gas fireplaces. Also has a heated insulated shop-garage 16x23. Landscaped lot 105x336. Great buy at **$109,800.**

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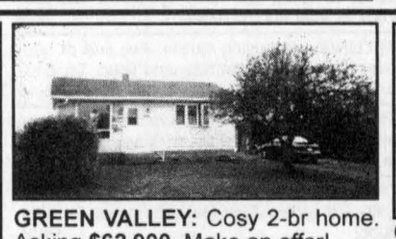
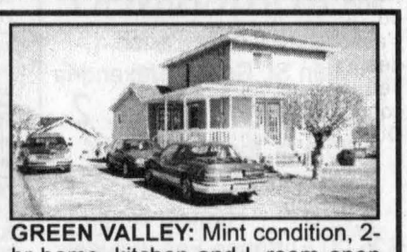
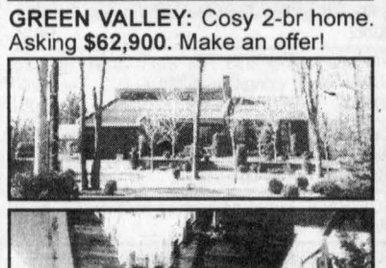


GREEN VALLEY: Cosy 2-br home. Asking **$62,900.** Make an offer!



GREEN VALLEY: Mint condition, 2-br home, kitchen and L room open concept, basement has family room w/gas fireplace, central FA gas. Ask for Liette.





GREEN VALLEY, QUALITY THROUGHOUT: This 3-br executive home w/special roof, attached garage and detached garage, basement has 2 add. bedrooms, kitchen and L/room. A must to see.



GREEN VALLEY: $139,900. TIP TOP SHAPE! 4-br home, 3 full 4-pce bathrooms + one 2-pce, finished basement. F.A. gas heating. For ad info and showing call Liette Ricard, res. 347-2793, off. 525-2940.



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NORTH LANCASTER: Solid 3 **SOLD**, **$56,900.**
ALEXANDRIA: Bungalow, 3-br, built 1995, semi-finished basement, **$106,900.**
ALEXANDRIA: Cute and well maintained, 2-br home on small lot. **$59,900.**
ALEXANDRIA: Attn: Builders/contractors. Lot 66x132 ft. **$19,900.**
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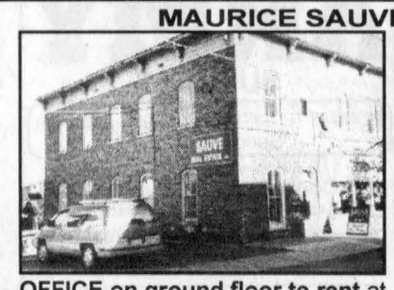

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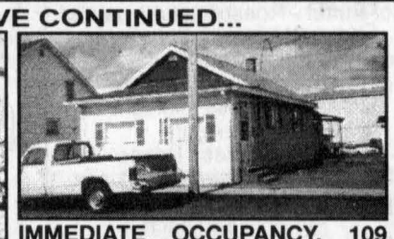

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY, 109 Lochiel St. E., Alexandria - Charming, cosy, 2-br home, perfect for first time or retiring couple, mostly updated, all new windows, coloured 10-year-old tin roof, aluminum siding, recent oil furnace and oil tank, will have new survey and building location survey. Large 60x100 lot. Reduced **$59,800.**



COUNTRY BUNGALOW, $92,000 in Lochiel, all brick, 3-br, attractive, homey feeling, high dry basement, air tight wood stove with brick wall behind, easy to finish in rec room, 4-yr-old oil furnace, electricity $1,000, oil $700.

4255 THIRD LINE ROAD, GLEN NEVIS, $111,000: Nestled in trees, 2.7 acres, updated 1340 sq. ft. bungalow, many features, very comfortable and appealing, all reinsulated, new roof shingles, totally dry high basement that can easily be finished, 62 ft. drilled well, approved septic.
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5 MINUTES TO ALEXANDRIA: All brick home 1230 sq. ft., 3-br, full dry basement with a rec room, combination oil and wood furnace, on 9 acres, privacy and seclusion. **$108,800.**

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Email: doob@alexmo.com
Fax: 613-525-0807
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POSTING

POSITION: Casual Instructors/Counsellors
POSITION SUMMARY: Under the direction of the Manager, supervises clients and assesses the clients needs, monitors and promotes policies and procedures in the program that ensure the safety of the clients. Acts at all times as a role model to the program and performs other related duties, as required.
QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Satisfactory experience in working with developmentally challenged individuals would be an asset.
2. Completed Post Secondary School education, or enrolled in one of the following - MRC, BST, DSW, Social Worker, University Social Worker.
3. Ability and willingness to assume responsibilities as required for the benefit of the clients and program.
4. Demonstrated organizational skills and sense of initiative.
5. Demonstrated ability to work in a supervised environment.
6. Must be willing to work shifts and weekends as per schedule.
7. Car is essential with proper proof of insurance for transportation of clients.

STARTING DATE: Immediately
SALARY: $12.13 per hour, plus vacation pay.
PLEASE SEND APPLICATION AND RESUME TO:
Personnel Department
GLENGARRY ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING
332 Macdonald Blvd., Alexandria, Ont. K0C 1A0

OFFRE D'EMPLOI

POSTE: Instructeurs/Conseillers Occasionnels
RÉSUMÉ DU POSTE: Le/la candidate/e devra travailler sous la direction du gérant, aura à superviser les clients, évaluera leurs besoins, et s'assurera que les politiques et procédures des programmes de sécurité des clients sont suivies et en fera la promotion; agira de façon permanente comme modèle pour les clients et pourra faire des activités connexes à son emploi si demandées.
QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Une expérience satisfaisante avec des personnes ayant une déficience intellectuelle.
2. Études post-secondaires achevées, ou inscrit/e aux TEDM, TSC, TSS, degré universitaire en sciences sociales.
3. Capable et prêt(e) à assumer les responsabilités requises en vertu du programme et pour le bien-être des clients.
4. Sens de l'organisation et esprit d'initiative.
5. Capable de travailler en milieu supervisé.
6. Disponible pour travailler par quarts et les fins de semaines.
7. Voiture essentielle, ainsi qu'une preuve d'assurance valide pour le transport de clients.

DATE D'ENTRÉE EN FONCTION: Immédiatement.
SALAIRE: $12.13 de l'heure, avec vacances payées.
FAIRE PARVENIR VOTRE DEMANDE ET VOTRE CURRICULUM VITAE AU:
Département du personnel
L'ASSOCIATION D'INTÉGRATION COMMUNAUTAIRE DE GLENGARRY
332, boul, Macdonald, Alexandria, Ont. K0C 1A0
47-1c

POSTING

POSITION: Full-time Counsellor - Term Position
Term Position: For the duration of the expected pregnancy leave/parental leave until approximately February 8, 2002 or earlier according to article 22.10.2.

POSITION SUMMARY: Under the direction of the Residential Manager supervises residents and assesses residents' needs, plans, develops and implements programs, liaises with SD&G Developmental Services, maintains records, acts as an advocate, monitors and promotes policies and procedures in the home that ensure the safety of the residents, and maintenance of the building, strives to ensure that a harmonious working relationship exists between staff, residents, parents/guardians, neighbours, and outside agencies, acts at all times as a role model to the residents and may perform other related duties, as required. Ensures that maintenance of a physical and emotional home atmosphere conducive to a satisfying living experience for all residents.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Satisfactory experience in working with developmentally challenged individuals.
2. Completed Post Secondary education, preferably MRC, BST, DSW, Social Worker, University Social Services.
3. Ability and willingness to assume responsibilities as required for the benefit of the clients and program.
4. Demonstrated organizational skills and sense of initiative.
5. Demonstrated ability to work in a supervised environment.
6. Must be willing to work shifts and weekends as per existing schedule.
7. Car is essential with proper proof of insurance for transportation of clients.
8. Must be bilingual (English and French). Must be proficient in French, both oral and written, at the advanced level.

Starting date: Immediately

Salary: $27,574 to $35,055 annual

PLEASE SEND LETTER OF APPLICATION AND RESUME TO:
GLENGARRY ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING
Personnel Department
332 Macdonald Blvd.
Alexandria, Ontario
K0C 1A0

OFFRE D'EMPLOI

POSTE: Conseiller(ère) à temps plein - terme
Durée du poste: Pour la durée prévue du congé de maternité/congé parental jusqu'à environ le 8 février 2002 ou plus tôt selon l'article 22.10.2.

RÉSUMÉ DU POSTE: Sous la direction du gérant, la personne devra superviser les résidents, évaluer leurs besoins, leurs programmes, développer et mettre en oeuvre des programmes, assurer la liaison avec e Centre des services de développement SDG. Tenir à jour les dossiers, agir comme défenseur des clients, contrôler et promouvoir la mise en application des politiques et pratiques visant la sécurité des résidents et le bon entretien de l'immeuble, tenter de maintenir de bonnes relations de travail entre le personnel, les résidents, les parents/tuteurs, les voisins et les agences extérieures, donner l'exemple en tout temps aux résidents et accomplir d'autres tâches connexes, au besoin. Assurer le maintien, tant sur le plan physique qu'affectif, d'une ambiance familiale propice à une expérience de vie satisfaisante pour tous les résidents.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Expérience de travail auprès de personnes atteintes d'un handicap du développement.
2. Études post secondaires achevées, préférablement, TEDM, TSC, TSD, TSS, degré universitaire en sciences sociales.
3. Capable et prêt(e) à assumer les responsabilités requises en vertu du programme et pour le bien-être des clients.
4. Sens de l'organisation et esprit d'initiative.
5. Capable de travailler en milieu supervisé.
6. Disponible pour travailler par quarts et les fins de semaines.
7. Voiture essentielle, ainsi qu'une preuve d'assurance valide pour le transport de clients.
8. Doit être bilingue (anglais et français) avec une bonne maîtrise verbale et écrite en français à un niveau avancé.

Date d'embauche: Immédiatement.

Salaire: 27 574 $ - 35 055 $ par année

FAIRE PARVENIR VOTRE DEMANDE ET VOTRE CURRICULUM VITAE À:

L'ASSOCIATION D'INTÉGRATION COMMUNAUTAIRE DE GLENGARRY
Département du personnel
332 boul. Macdonald
Alexandria (Ontario)
K0C 1A0
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Help Wanted

POSITION
Employment Counsellor / Job Developer

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Interview clients to obtain employment history, educational background and career goals.
- Identify barriers to employment and assist clients to develop job readiness skills and job search strategies.
- Advise employers on human resource and other employment related issues.
- Refer clients for testing designed to determine their interests, aptitudes and abilities.
- Assess need for assistance such as rehabilitation, financial aid or further vocational training and refer clients to the appropriate services.
- Collect labour market information for clients regarding job openings, entry and skill requirements and other occupational information.
- Contact employers with potential job openings
- Follow up (match) with client and their action plan.
- Data management and administrative case management.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Degree in counselling, social work or equivalent.
- Community College certificate in social sciences, employment counselling or human services.
- Knowledge of employment related services and programs in the community.

This is a four-month contract with possibility of renewal. Deadline for application is November 28, 2001.

Forward resume to: Interviewing Committee
GIAG Inc.
3525 Highway 34 South
Alexandria, Ontario K0C 1A0
e-mail: hrcjo@mail2.glen-net.ca
Fax: 613-525-4699

We thank all applicants for their interest, however; only those selected for an interview will be contacted.
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PASS AN AMENDING BYLAW TO REMOVE THE HOLDING SYMBOL FROM THE LANDS ZONED BY BYLAW 39-2000

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Township of North Glengarry intends to pass an amending bylaw under section 36 of the Planning Act to remove the holding provision from the lands located on part of Lot 35, Con. 2, south of McCormick Road in the northwest corner, 300 feet by 350 feet, zoned RU-h (rural holding) to RU - rural. Removing the holding symbol will permit the development of two single residential units.

THE COUNCIL of the Township of North Glengarry will consider the proposed amending bylaw at its next meeting of open council November 26, 2001.

ANY PERSON or agency representative may attend the council meeting at which time the amending bylaw is considered and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the proposed bylaw.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION on the proposed amending bylaw is available at the Township Office during regular office hours.

Dated at the Township of North Glengarry, this 19th day of November, 2001.

Leo Poirier - Clerk-Adm.
Alexandria, Ont. K0C 1A0 - 613-525-1110
47-1c

AUCTION SALE

SELLING ON BEHALF OF A CHURCH FROM QUEBEC AND ADDITIONS
At the Osnabruck Centre Hall.
From Hwy 401, Ingleside exit travel north approx. 1 1/2 kms
SATURDAY, NOV. 24 at 10 a.m.

Lansdowne piano; organ as is; fancy quarter cut oak library table; 3 beautiful pulpit chairs (1 arm chair); church pew; pressback chairs and others; pine dovetail box; 4 post bed; 2 captain's chairs; wicker rocker; porch rocker; 1/2 round table; magazine rack; sewing machine; Cosmos Gone with the Wind lamp base; Gone with the Wind lamp with matching swag; collection of oil lamps inc. 1 Bulls Eye, 1 turquoise and 1 green; crocks inc. a Medalta Catelli, Redwing 5 gal., Medalta 4 gal., handled jug with bluebird and whiskey crock; barn lantern; childs skater lamp; 2 Frost and Wood Cockshutt markers; old Parliament library books; old Bibles; Indian baskets; Players adv. clock; Export A adv. clock; 7-up sign; collection of old bottles inc. Jumbo bottle, dairy bottles; 3 cobalt blue bottles; 7 cast-iron toys inc. John Deere tractor; 8 cast-iron banks; Coke trays; Timex watch display; Kleenex dispenser; 2 Shakespeare fishing rods w/Penn reels; fishing tackle; brass spittoon; vintage wedding dress; collection of vintage aprons; vintage ladies and childrens gloves; vintage hankies (some in orig. boxes); assorted linens; old cameras; tobacco cutter; over 100 collectible board and card games inc. Green Hornet (1966); Earl Gillespies Baseball Game (1961 unopened); Bird Watcher 1958; 2 old hockey games; 3 Humpty Dumpty boxes; comics; approx. 30 authentic Ty Beanie Babies inc. Maple and Pierre; 25¢ pinball machine (Jungle Queen); collection of 45 rpm records and 8 tracks; selection of glass including Carnival; Depression; pressed glass; Noritake; crystal; art glass; Royal Winton; Corn Flower; Fire-King; Pyrex; Murano; Black Amethyst; OC Japan; set of hoosier canisters; cookie jars; teapots; over 100 cups and saucers; cheese dish; Royal Doulton ballerina collector plates; 10 Bosson heads; Toby jugs and much more.
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AUCTION SALE

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In the Vernon Recreation Centre, Vernon, Ont., 1 mile east of Food Town Grocery Store, and off Hwy. 31.
(Approx. 20 miles south of Ottawa on Bank Street.)
SATURDAY, DEC. 1, at 10 a.m.
(viewing from 8:30 a.m.)

Having sold my home, the following will be sold:
ANTIQUES AND COLLECTIBLES: Oak hall stand w/oval mirror; matching ash dresser w/mirror and washstand; oak dresser; dresser w/mirror and commode compartment; fancy parlour table; parlour table w/claw feet; small corner table; cast iron floor lamp; blanket box; wooden beds; magazine stand; trunks; 6 piece wash set; oil lamps and miniatures; pair of Gone with the Wind lamps, electrified; pair of oil lamps w/wall brackets and mercury shields; small pine bookcase; high chair; maple drop leaf table; spinning wheel and wool carders; Waterbury 8 day clock; Napoleon inlaid mantel clock w/brass works; round maple table; 6'3" oak primitive bench w/back; beveled mirror back for sideboard; set of 6 wooden chairs; Windsor chair; wicker rocker; wooden plant stand; dye cupboard; small wooden chest; china and silver pieces; pressed glass pieces; 8 place setting of Queen Mary Triple plate silverware; silver tea service; cast iron horse head; French ivory lady's boot lacing kit; many butter and pickle crocks; 4 gal. water cooler, crock style; Flexible flier-antique child's sleigh; Renfrew scales, complete; platform scales, National MFG Co. Toronto, complete w/weights; cart iron pots and frying pans; dash butter churn; 2 apple peelers; coffee grinder; collector tins; 2 large railroad lanterns; horseshoe footstool; 2 small coal oil burners; Ottawa Dairy milk bottle; Clark wooden milk box; cream bottles and dairy cans; set of 3 top bells for harness; D&R Ottawa oak barrel; 2 cheese boxes; butter prints; wooden butter bowl; collection of old milk jugs; Shell oil and other oil measuring bottles and tins; snow shoes and moccasins; cross cut saws; Brockville sad irons; old newspapers, Family Herald and Weekly Star dating back to 1946; blacksmithing books; cameras; 2 small nail kegs; brass spittoon; 3 wooden shovels; collection of antique hand tools; ice tongs; Massey Toronto cast iron implement seat; small cistern pump; 10 lanterns and chimneys.
MODERN FURNITURE: Knotty pine 4 piece bedroom set w/Cannon Ball poster bed; Chesterfield and chair; reclining chair; apt. size fridge/freezer combo; Inglis washer and dryer, 4 yr old; microwave; 7 piece dining room set; Kohler bed and dresser; Koolatron cooler 12v/110v; 2 Kirby vacuums; wooden game table w/horseshoe prints; 4 pine benches; 2 oak office chairs; colour TV; set of 8 Ben Babelowsky prints of Rideau canal; Beswick horse signed by Mark Phillips; costume jewelry.
GARDEN AND LAWN EQUIPMENT: Allis Chalmers B tractor w/chains and shop manual, good condition; Agco Allis 1718 H garden tractor, 18 hp, hydrostatic, w/48" mower and snow blower attachments, weights and chains, 300 hrs, top condition; Ariens YT 1138 garden tractor 11 hp w/38" mower; Billygoat 8 hp leaf blower; 2 garden dump trailers; Parker lawn sweeper; 36" lawn roller for garden tractor; JD stainless pull type lawn fertilizer spreader; 36" lawn aerator; Stihl FS 86 whipper snipper w/brush blades; 2 extension ladders; horse cultivator and walking plow; metal shelving units; 5'x3'x4' steel mesh animal cage on wheels; Stihl 034 AV super chain saw; Stihl E14 electric chain saw; Mastercraft 2 decker tool chest on wheels; Makita sander; electric drills; set of Gray open end wrenches, 3/8"-1"; Karcher 1200 psi pressure washer; precision tools for lathe work, calipers, etc.; drill bits; wheel puller; cotter keys; 4" bench vise; socket sets; rachets; plumbing and electrical supplies; numerous garden tools; set of Ludlow grating 12'x30" steel stairs; many unlisted articles; all of the items in this sale are in top condition.
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Local media left out of hospital meeting

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The meeting, held last Thursday at the Best Western in Cornwall, was supposed to be open, according to representatives of MPP John Cleary.

Mr. Clement, however, when asked why the meeting was closed to the media at the last moment, skirted the question.

"It wasn't my meeting," he said.

Mr. Cleary's staff took exception to the implication that the closed meeting had been the local MPP's call, and released a voice mail message from Mr. Clement's staff, the transcript of which follows.

"From our perspective, the meeting with Mr. Cleary and his representatives will be a private affair, but we will be pleased to speak with the media and make public statements, but the actual nitty gritty of the meeting we prefer to have a private one on one."

More than 40 people including doctors, nurses, administrators, and members of the joint executive committe (JEC) on hospital restructuring, attended the meeting.

Mr. Clement fielded questions from the media for a few minutes after the meeting.

Big group goes to Ste. Agathe for last trip



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By Margo Pepin

Rejeanne and a group of 30 people enjoyed a trip to the Caléche at Ste. Agathe for five beautiful days. While there, they were entertained by the famous Fernand Gignac and Denis Lamarre and Daniel Fontaine. Many other activities and good food were enjoyed.

Rejeanne says this is her last trip for this year and she would like to thank everyone who participated in the trips she organized.

Monthly meeting

The Daughters of Isabella will be holding their regular monthly reunion today (Nov. 21) at 7:30 p.m. All members are asked to attend.

Turkey Night

The Green Valley Knights of Columbus will be holding an evening called Turkey Night on Nov. 30 from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Green Valley Community Centre. It's an evening with games of chance, free turkey draws every 15 minutes and no admission fee. Everyone is welcome, so come on out for a night of fun.

They are also holding a $1,000 draw on Dec. 22. Tickets are $2 each or three for $5. The draw will be held at Église Ste. Marie after the 5 p.m. mass. Good luck to everyone.

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God bless and have a safe week. Hi Mom, see you soon.



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South Glengarry

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH GLENGARRY

The Council of the Township is looking for volunteers to participate on various committees for the year 2002. This is a prime opportunity for interested parties to become involved in their community and have input at the grass roots level.

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(To consider request of relief from zoning regulations.)
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LIVESTOCK EVALUATOR
LOCAL ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH GLENGARRY ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE
PROPERTY STANDARDS COMMITTEE
(To adjudicate on appeals on orders to comply with township bylaw(s).)

Residents wishing to submit their names for any committee may do so in writing (clearly stating the Committee of their choice, qualifications, complete mailing address, and telephone number) before

DECEMBER 24, 2001

Marcel J. Lapierre
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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GLENGARRY SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL

A Special Meeting of the Municipal Council will be held in the Council Chambers on Thursday, November 22, 2001 at 7:30 p.m.

PURPOSE: HYDRO SALE PROCEEDS

Leo Poirier
Clerk-Adm.

CANTON DE GLENGARRY NORD RÉUNION SPÉCIALE

Une réunion spéciale du conseil municipal aura lieu dans la salle de conférence, le jeudi 22 novembre, 2001 à 19 h 30.

SUJET : LES FONDS DE LA VENTE DE L'HYDRO

Léo Poirier
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TERMS: Cash, cheque, Visa/MC, Interac - Canteen

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Sara and Sadie MacMillans visit Westminster



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Sara MacMillan and Sadie MacMillan, Brodie Road, were off to the Westminster, B.C. to visit with Christena, Stephen, A. J. and Alexa Landon. From there Sadie kept on to Williams Lake to spend a few days with Hazel (Mae Millan) Huckvale. Friends took her sightseeing in the area. They both enjoyed the holiday.

Round trip

Ella and Myrna MacSweyn made a round trip drive to Sudbury on Sunday to have a visit with Tristi who attends Cambrian College and watch Kurt play against the Sudbury Wolves. Kurt's Brampton Battalions won 4 to 2 with Kurt getting the second goal. Gramma MacSweyn had a front row seat at the game, got to chat with her nephew and then got a tour of Tristi's residence room before heading back to Glengarry with the job of keeping her daughter-in-law awake during the long ride home. Everyone was a winner!

CNIB campaign

CNIB canvass for MacCrimmon, Laggan, Kirk Hill, Lochinvar and Dalkeith areas has been completed. A total of $1,620.35 was collected.

The CNIB office in Cornwall provides services to 114 blind and visually impaired individuals in Glengarry County. Their goal is to help these people achieve an independent life style.

Funding for CNIB services is primarily through private donations and local fundraising events (e.g.: this door-to-door canvass, the crocus sale in February). All donations are therefore gratefully received.

Many thanks are extended to the following canvassers for an excellent campaign: Andrea Berry, Darlene Desmarais, Frances Fraser, Janet Kirton, Helen Levac, Nancy MacDonald, Eileen MacGillivray, Emerson MacGillivray, Jean MacLennan, Nancy MacLeod, Hugh Allan MacMillan, Elaine MacNaughton, Christena MacSweyn, Aline Meloche, Tammy Millette and Margaret Newton.

The captains were Emerson MacGillivray and Jean MacLennan.

Library news

This month is designated as "Library Sign Up Month" at all SDG branches. So between 7 and 8 p.m. on Nov. 29 you are urged to attend the library and sign in as a member if you have not already done so. There will be prizes, refreshments and draws.

As a special that evening, there will be an "Arthur" storytime at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome.

"Friends of Dalkeith Library - Les Amis de la Bibliothèque" are holding a membership drive on Nov. 29 between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. during the library's Open House.

The fee to join is $5 for a single or family membership and then your name is entered in a draw for a free one year subscription of your choice from Harrowsmith, Canadian Gardening or Century Home.

The "Friends" group work to support and promote usage of the library in several ways and invite everyone to visit on Nov. 29. The library, which does not have a membership fee, is also holding a draw that evening. So come in to visit and meet the librarian – Mrs. Trish Hamilton.

It is a busy week at the library. On Nov. 28 the pre-school storytime is about dinosaurs at 11a.m.

Sandbag League

The Sandbag League results of Nov. 9.

High Square: Alain Piche - 1,940, Armand Paquette - 1,360, Juliette Quesnel - 1,330, Helene Leduc - 1,220; High Single: Yvon Theoret - 5,250, Rheal Cyr - 5,000, Lina Arcand - 4,230, Rachel Sicotte - 4,020; High Double: Rheal Cyr - 9,980, Yvon Theoret - 9,430, Lina Arcand - 7,830 and Rachel Sicotte - 7,290.

Les Sans-Toupets won both team High Single - 15,720 and team High Double - 30,860.

The team of Les 4 Angels consists of Sylvain Piche (captain), Jos Sequin, Larry Demers and Fernand St. Louis.

Laggan Public School

Laggan's 4th Annual Spaghetti Supper was a huge success once again. The organizers are so thankful for all of the assistance received from supporters and helpers. So much of the success of this event goes to those who donate time and product.

The school council will be meeting to decided how the funds will be used to support school programs.

The next school council meeting will be held on Dec. 5 in the school library. All are encouraged to attend and take part.

The Grade 6 class will be hold their cookie/muffin mix drive to raise funds for their École de neige in January. The mix will arrive in time for Christmas baking. Look for more news regarding this drive coming home with students this week. If you don't know of a child in the school and wish to order some of the mix, call the school office and place your order, 525-3112.

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Have you ever asked the question "How shall we nourish ourselves in the future?" We should be very worried due to the fact that a few big companies want the control of the nourishment security of millions of people.

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The patent of living organisms is the legal way for a company to possess the control of the sales of the distribution of the living organisms genetically modified. These modified grains do not reproduce and so the farmers have to buy new grains every year.

For the Third World people, Canada and the US, this creates a dependence towards these companies. To open new markets, these companies give free samples or else sell very cheap to the farmers in the south.

This technique assures these companies of always higher annual sales but for the farmers it creates a situation where it is impossible to get out.

All the patents in biotechnology are owned by a handful of multinational companies. It is important to note that many companies in Europe refuse to accept any genetically modified organisms because, after much research, the secondary effects on health and environment are unknown.

The Catholic organization D&P is asking the Canadian government to stop defending the interests of the multinationals who obtain the patent of the genetically modified organisms and to oppose the patenting and private control of seeds and all other forms of life.

If seeds and living organisms are genetically modified, patented and commercialized, the consequences will be devastating for millions of farmers in the north and in the south with production costs increasing.

Please take two minutes to sign a postcard.

Christmas bazaar and tea

A warm welcome to everyone to attend the annual Christmas Bazaar and Tea this coming Saturday starting at 1 p.m. at the parish hall. Delicious home baked desserts, Christmas decorations, plants, books, crafts, white elephant table and personalized labels will be at your disposal.

Take time off and enjoy a good cup of tea and sandwich, if you like, in the company of friends.

There will be three draws - one of $100 and two of $50 around 4 p.m.

New executive

A new executive has been elected at the recreational centre and they are: president, Derrek Johnson; vice-president, Aline McCallum; treasurer, Sylvie Décoeur; secretary, Dianne Larocque.

Congratulations and the best of luck for 2001-02.

Swedish exchange

Lorraine and Yvan Latulippe are host family to a Swedish girl, Fari Marken, who is 17 years old. She will be living at the Latulippe home till the end of June.

This is a great learning experience for all concerned since two different cultures have so much to learn from each other. Fari is presently pursuing her studies at Le Ralais in Grade 11 and enjoys babysitting the two boys, Mathieu and Maxime.

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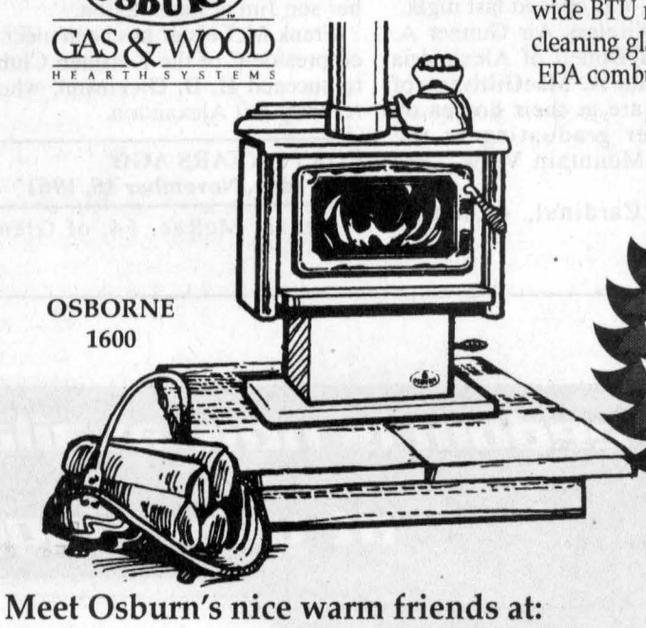

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The Ecumenical Choral Festival of Carols will be held this year on Dec. 4 in St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church in Dalkeith. The choir conductors are requested to please submit the titles of their carols by the end of November.

Voices of Glengarry

Ken Roach, with his Voices of Glengarry choir, will be presenting his first Christmas concert on Dec. 4 in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Lancaster at 3 p.m. He will present it again in Alexandria at St. Finnan's Cathedral on Dec. 11 at 2:30 p.m.

There will be a freewill offering at both events and the money will go to local charities.

60th anniversary

Congratulations to Sadie and Dougall MacDougall on the happy event of their 60th wedding anniversary.

No sweaters

Happy birthday wishes go out to Nancy Chapman Sabourin and James Chapman on their recent special days.

She and her husband Michel Sabourin have recently returned from a vacation in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, where, he reported, the coolest it got to was 69 degrees and the warmest was about 80 degrees F.

Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to Bill and Carolyn Pottie on the recent death of his brother. They both attended the funeral in Cape Breton and returned by air on the day the planes crashed in New York City.

Get well

Get well wishes are extended to Susan Kalivoda who recently had surgery. We wish her a speedy recovery.

United Church services

Sunday morning worship services are held at 10 a.m. in Glen Sandfield United Church and at 11:15 a.m. in East Hawkesbury United Church.

Visitors are most welcome.

Christmas Tea on Dec. 2

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LOUISE MARLEAU
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St. Anthony's-St. Michael's Christmas Tea will be held on Dec. 2 from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. in St. Anthony's church hall. There will be crafts, games, fish pond, quilt draw, bake sale and a white elephant table. Everyone is welcome.

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ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO
Friday, November 19, 1901

•While en route to visit her parents in Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Kippen, Maxville, were guests at the Grand Union for a short time on Saturday.

•Finlay D. Sinclair of St. Elmo left last week for Calgary where he intends residing. He bought a large tract of land in the West last winter.

•William Urquhart of Vancouver is on a visit to his old home at Dunvegan. On his way East he spent some time in Toronto with his daughter who is taking a medical course in that city.

•The blessing and re-opening of St. Raphael's Church will take place on Sunday, Nov. 24. Bishop Macdonell will visit the old church to perform the ceremony.

•The contract for repairing the roof of the curling rink has been awarded to Alex Lalonde, tinsmith.

•Dan McDiarmid, son of Dr. D. MacDiarmid, returned last week from a trip to Dawson City.

NINETY YEARS AGO
Friday, November 17, 1911

•D. J. Dewar of Kirk Hill, who left on Aug. 25 on an extended Western tour, arrived home Saturday.

•W. D. McCrimmon was in Montreal for several days this week.

•The first heavy snowstorm of the season occurred Tuesday evening when some three inches fell.

•H. S. Grant of Moose Creek, with a gang of men, is engaged in putting in the Stormont Rural Telephone line at Maxville.

•The J. T. Schell Co. is preparing to shortly install the new interior fittings in the main post offices at Toronto and Winnipeg.

EIGHTY YEARS AGO
Friday, November 18, 1921

•Brigadier-General C. L. Hervey was the choice of the National Liberal Conservative Association of Glengarry-Stormont to contest the federal election. He will be opposed by J. Wilfred Kennedy of Maxville, UFO nominee, and J. E. Chevrier, KC of Cornwall, Liberal choice.

•Stanley Kippen, Floyd Scott and Gordon Stewart of Maxville have returned after three months in the West.

•A beautiful bronze tablet containing the names of 170 gallant sons of Glengarry who laid down their lives in the late war was unveiled at Lancaster, Armistice Day by Lt.-Col. H. A. Cameron of Martintown, in the name of the Glengarry Red Cross Society. It stands on the Library grounds.

•F. H. Trudeau of the Bank of Hochelaga staff has been transferred to Head Office in Montreal. J. A. Cheff of the Apple Hill branch succeeds him here.

•Jos. Sabourin returned this week after a three month stay in the West.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO
Friday, November 13, 1931

•Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod of Smiths Falls marked their 60th wedding anniversary recently at their home. Both natives of the 9th Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were married at Lancaster.

•H. G. McLeod and Hector McGillivray, RR1, Dunvegan and Vincent McDonald, Hillcrest, 4th Kenyon, left Tuesday for Kemptville Agricultural School where they will take the winter course.

•Alexandria and Winchester box lacrosse teams will play an exhibition at the grand opening of Jubilee Rink, Maxville, next Tuesday. Hon. G. H. Challies will officiate.

•Rod R. McDonald and little son Roddie of Winnipeg are visiting his brother, Dan R. McDonald, Glen Norman, and other relatives in Glengarry.

SIXTY YEARS AGO
Friday, November 14, 1941

•Alexandria's fine new theatre, The Garry, was opened last night.

•Sergt.-Wireless Air Gunner A. Bernard McDonell of Alexandria and Dougald A. MacGillivray of Kirk Hill are at their homes on leave after graduating in the RCAF at Mountain View, Ont. Saturday.

•Elzear Cardinal, 4, son of Edward Cardinal, cheesemaker at Lorne, escaped serious injury Friday when kicked in the face by a horse.

•Cosmas McDonald, Rannie McCormick and Ewen J. Kennedy left this week for Val d'Or, Que.

•Howard Morris left yesterday for Valleyfield.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
Friday, November 16, 1951

•Five local hunters had a narrow escape at their hunting camp in the Deep River area when fumes from an oil stove affected them. Sam and Ernest Brunet, Rolland Cholette, Leo Lajoie and Eddie Choquette have now thrown of the effects of the fumes.

•The farm home of Mrs. Rory McPherson, 12-2nd Kenyon, was destroyed by fire last Thursday night. Mrs. McPherson left recently to spend the winter with her son Jim at Leamington.

•Frank McLeister has been elected president of the Kinsmen Club to succeed H. B. Dickinson, who recently left Alexandria.

FORTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, November 16, 1961

•Kenzie McRae, 54, of Glen Robertson, was fatally injured Nov. 11 in a Remembrance Day accident. The car driven by a nephew was in collision with another at the Glen Roy road intersection of Highway 34, D'Assie Emond, 54, of Green Valley, driver of the other car, was seriously injured.

•Joseph Jerry Valade, 32, a native of St. Raphael's was fatally injured in a road construction accident near Plattsburg, N.Y.

•Noel Brunet, Glen Robertson, school teacher, almost lost his home Saturday afternoon when his car, parked beside the house, caught fire.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, November 18, 1971

•Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hopkins and their five children lost their home in Dalkeith to fire last Friday.

•Ontario Housing Corporation is being asked to proceed with plans for rent-geared-to-income housing units here.

•A suggestion that a smaller parish church be erected with the ruins of St. Raphael's Church and possibly a section of the present walls came from the Ontario Heritage Foundation which is contributing $15,000 to meet the cost of stabilizing the present walls.

•Clasina Wygergangs, Peter Keyes, Sheila Conway and Roger Leblanc are the head students at GDHS this year. The foursome was voted in by the students.

•Land to the east of Alexandria Moulding's plant is being prepared for the erection of a new shavings shed by Hubert Sabourin.

•Subject to the provincial government approval, the SD&G Separate School Board plans to make new additions at a total cost of $2,850,000 to its system in the coming year.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
Wednesday, November 18, 1981

•A Lochiel Township man has won the top prize in honey in cross-Canada competitions. Donald J. MacPhee of Glen Robertson Rd. won the top award for liquid white honey at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair and also captured the Canadian Honey Council Trophy for the best exhibit of liquid honey of all colours.

•Denise Boisvenue, a June graduate in nursing at St. Lawrence College, Cornwall, has recently earned her RN degree. She is presently employed at Ottawa Civic Hospital.

•Richard Bellefeuille was returned as president of the Glengarry Golf and Country Club for another season at the annual meeting held Saturday night at the club house. Also returning to the executive will be Wayne Crack, Sandra McDonald, Emile Hurtubise, Pierre Aubry and Robert Lemieux. The only newcomer is Al Pickett, who will replace Bruce Marr.

TEN YEARS AGO
Wednesday, November 20, 1991

•The ceremonial groundbreaking for the Montée d'Elle shelter for battered women in Alexandria's industrial park took place Saturday, Nov. 2. On hand for the ceremony were Lee Frappier (shelter co-ordinator), construction president Denis Campeau, Alexandria mayor Jean-Paul Touchette, Glengarry-Prescott-Russell MP Don Boudria, vice-president (and Alexandria police chief) Paul Deveau, Judith Dunne (ministry of comm. and soc. services), Dianne Lalonde (president) and Edna Lalonde (fundraising committee).

•Phyllis Burtenshaw, volunteer co-ordinator at the Maxville Manor reports that the Seniors' Outreach Services Program continues to serve a growing number of clients.

During October, 36 received meals-on-wheels, 49 used th transportation services and thre used of the van service. There are 188 names of volunteers on the list to assist in the provision of these services.

•Heidi Farms' owners Paul Oeggerli Sr., his wife, Heidi, and their two sons, Paul Jr. and Walter, showed off their new 11,580 square metre free-stall dairy barn and milking parlour, located on the Second Concession of Lancaster at Wesltey Road, to about 2,000 visitors.

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*Offers available on cash purchases of new 2002 Mazda Protegé SE, 2002 Mazda Protegé LX, 2002 Mazda Protegé5, 2002 Mazda Tribute DX-V6 (ES model shown) and 2001 Mazda MPV DX (MPV LX model shown). Purchase price offers exclude freight and P.D.E. of $820 for cars, $940 for MPV and $1,095 for Tribute. † **4.9% purchase financing/36 months available on the 2002 Mazda Tribute DX-V6.** Finance example: for $10,000 at 4.9% Purchase Financing the monthly payment is $299.26 for 36 months, C.O.B. is $773.36 for a total of $10,773.36. †† **0% purchase financing/36 months available on the 2001 Mazda MPV.** Finance example: for $10,000 at 0% Purchase Financing the monthly payment is $277.78 for 36 months, C.O.B. is $0 for a total of $10,000.00. ††† **2.9% purchase financing/36 months available on the 2002 Mazda Protegé5, Mazda Protegé SE and Mazda Protegé LX.** Finance example: for $10,000 at 2.9% purchase financing the monthly payment is $290.37 for 36 months, C.O.B. is $453.32 for a total of $10,453.32. **Offers cannot be combined.** Negotiated price may exceed cash purchase price if advertised finance offer is selected, and may result in a higher effective interest rate. See your dealer for details. **Mazda Personal Lease Rate:** Offers available on new retail leases only. Leases are based on 48 months. Other lease terms available. Total lease obligation for the **2002 Mazda Protegé SE** (model # D4XM52AC00) is $12,397, which includes security deposit of $250 and down payment of $2,595 (includes freight and P.D.E. of $820). Total lease obligation for the **2002 Mazda Protegé LX** (model # D4LS72AC00) is $13,213, which includes security deposit of $250 and down payment of $2,595 (includes freight and P.D.E. of $820). Total lease obligation for the **2002 Mazda Protegé5** (model # D5TS52AA00) is $14,647, which includes security deposit of $300 and down payment of $2,395 (includes freight and P.D.E. of $820). Total lease obligation for the **2002 Mazda Tribute DX-V6** (model # WSD272AC00) is $19,597, which includes security deposit of $350 and down payment of $4,895 (includes freight and P.D.E. of $1,095). Total lease obligation for the **2001 Mazda MPV DX** (model # UADV71CA00) is $18,257, which includes security deposit of $350 and down payment of $4,995 (includes freight and P.D.E. of $940). 20,000 km per year mileage allowance applies; if exceeded, additional 8¢ per km applies. License, insurance, registration, taxes and other dealer charges extra. Dealer may sell/lease for less. Offers available from November 1, 2001 for a limited time only. Lease and Finance O.A.C. for qualified customers only. See your dealer for details. The BEST BUY SEAL is a registered trademark of Consumers Digest, Inc., used under license.

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