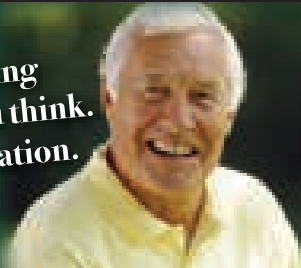


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Shovels and snow blowers were out in force January 11 as residents cleaned up after a night of stormy weather. The snow was indeed heavy, said Doug Inglis as he worked on Niven Street in New Liskeard. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

SEEKING IMPROVED TRANSPORTATION
 Municipalities give support for rail passenger service

Darlene Wroe
 Speaker Reporter

COBALT -- The Town of Cobalt has thrown its support to the Northern and Eastern Ontario Rail Network (NEORN) which is attempting to bring the need for rail service to the attention of Queen's Park and Parliament Hill.

The council joins the council of the Town of Latchford and other regional municipalities in an attempt to bring back the rail passenger service of Ontario Northland.

But at the same time doubt was expressed by many council members at the council table Tuesday, January 10 that the service will ever be what it was before.

Councillor George Othmer suggested that a different method of transportation should be considered.

See "Municipalities give" on 5a

Wintry weather strikes

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) – Wintry weather hit earlier this week, cancelling school buses for two consecutive days and pushing snow clearing into high gear.

Weather conditions prompted the Ontario Provincial Police to close Highway 11 between North Bay and New

Liskeard shortly before 1 a.m. Wednesday January 11.

The highway was reported reopened at 5:15 a.m.

Hydro One, meanwhile, said about 61,000 customers were left without power when "a significant wind storm" with gusts up to 100 kilometres per

hour moved across the province.

In the Northeast, it said almost 2,100 customers from Kapuskasing to Sudbury and Manitoulin were affected. About 25 customers in the New Liskeard and Kirkland Lake areas were reported to have lost power.

Looking at 2017 – Easier to provide social programs in stable economy

Darlene Wroe
 Speaker Reporter

DISTRICT -- It seems like the district's population has stabilized and the economy is also fairly stable, says District of Timiskaming Social Services Administration Board (DTSSAB) chief administrative officer Don Studholme.

Speaking in a telephone interview with

The Speaker, Mr. Studholme said that improved stability is helping DTSSAB by making it easier to provide programs.

Only a three to four per cent increase over 2016 numbers in Ontario Works clients is anticipated, with a number around 650 clients as compared to 800 six or seven years ago, he commented.

Mr. Studholme attributes this to activ-

ity in the mining industry in the north end of the district, stability in the agricultural industry, and a stable retail industry in the south end of the riding.

DTSSAB is responsible for flowing funding from higher levels of government as well as from the municipal governments and unincorporated townships throughout the district. Services provid-

ed through DTSSAB administration are: social assistance; child care; emergency medical services (ambulances and paramedics); and social housing.

One of the challenges facing DTSSAB is that of assuring back-up staff are available for the emergency medical services (EMS) paramedics when they require

See "Looking at 2017" on 5a

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CITY BULLETIN



Temiskaming Shores Public Library

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Preschool aged children accompanied by an adult are invited to attend this fun, social, interactive early literacy program. Come and join us for stories, songs, rhymes, and a good time!

This program will take place twice a month on Wednesdays from 11:15 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. at the New Liskeard Branch Library.

Dates are:

January 18

February 1 and 15

Drop in to join in the fun or contact us for more information.

Call 705-647-4215 or email us at

newliskeard@temisklibrary.com

Canada Day Challenge Workshop

Young Canadians are encouraged to get inspired and show us their vision of Canada's next 150 years by submitting an entry in the following categories:

- Draw it! (drawing or painting)
- Write it! (creative writing)
- Snap it! (photography)

The challenge will accept entries from January 3 to March 31, 2017

On Saturday, January 14, 2017 from 1:00 to 3:30 pm the New Liskeard Branch Library will offer some supplies, space, and resources for youth aged 8 to 18 to work on contest entries. For entry details, visit the website at www.canada.ca/canada-day-challenge or come to the library on January 14!

Family Literacy Day Game Day at the New Liskeard Branch Library

Come and gather at the New Liskeard Branch with family and friends to bring this special day to life! We'll have many fun games and activities for you to enjoy—for all ages from 3:30-6:00 p.m. on Friday, January 27, 2017.

Snowshoes for rent at the Haileybury Branch Library!

The Temiskaming Shores Public Library, in partnership with the City of Temiskaming Shores Recreation Department and the Healthy Kids Community Challenge, is offering snowshoes for rent at the Haileybury Branch Library. Come in to pick up a few pairs for the family to try out this great outdoor winter activity! A \$20.00 cash deposit per pair is required.

OverDrive Ebooks and Audiobooks

The Library has access to e-books and downloadable audiobooks through the provincial consortia with OverDrive. Books and audiobooks can be downloaded to many types of tablets, ipads or your laptop at home. Items expire automatically after two weeks—no fines to pay, ever! To access, click the E-Resources tab on the library's website and scroll down to the OverDrive link. Have your 14 digit library card ready to log in and enjoy this great resource for e-books! For more information, call the Library.

TumbleBookLibrary Online

TumbleBookLibrary is an online collection of ebooks for children in grades K-6. Existing children's books are animated using the existing illustrations and adding audio narration. The collection includes old time favourites such as The Paper Bag Princess by Robert Munsch, Diary of a Worm, How I Became a Pirate, Miss Malarkey Doesn't Live in Room 10, One Duck Stuck, as well as favourite fairy tales such as Jack and the Beanstalk and Old Mother Hubbard. To access, click the E-Resources tab on the library's website and scroll down to the TumbleBookLibrary information. Have your 14 digit library card ready to log in and enjoy this fun resource for kids!

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To register or for more information about any of the Library's programs, call 705-647-4215 or 705-672-3707, see our facebook page, email NewLiskeard@temisklibrary.com or Haileybury@temisklibrary.com, visit our website at www.temisklibrary.com, or visit your Library Branch!

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

POLICE SERVICES BOARD

Monday, January 16, 2017 – 1:00 P.M.

City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

REGULAR COUNCIL

Tuesday, January 17, 2017 – 6:00 P.M.

City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

TEMISKAMING SHORES PUBLIC LIBRARY

Wednesday, January 18, 2017 – 7:00 P.M.

Temiskaming Shores Public Library,
50 Whitewood Avenue, New Liskeard

REGULAR COUNCIL

Tuesday, February 7, 2017 – 6:00 P.M.

City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

TEMISKAMING TRANSIT FARE INCREASE

Please be advised that the following Transit Fare increases will take effect as of January 1, 2017:

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Residents of the City of Temiskaming Shores

Discarded Christmas Tree Collection Schedule

Residents of the City of Temiskaming Shores please take notice that residential discarded Christmas tree collection will take place by means of Public Work Crews, at random and as time permits. Christmas trees must be placed at curbside by no later than 3:00 p.m. on Friday January 27, 2017 in order to be picked up. Failing the above, landfill hours are as follows:

Tuesday through Saturday (closed Sunday & Monday)	Haileybury Landfill Site Firstbrook Line Bucke Twp.
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Call for Applications

Position: Digital Creator Program Lead Internship
Application Deadline: January 22, 2017, start date on February 13, 2017

Location: Temiskaming Shores Public Library, New Liskeard and Haileybury Branches

Term: Full-time (1 year contract with potential of renewal) at \$18.75/hour

Job Description

Under the supervision of the Program Coordinator and Library CEO at the Temiskaming Shores Public Library, the Digital Creator Program Lead will be responsible for coordinating and executing the Digital Creator North project in Temiskaming Shores, Ontario. Program Leads will be required to create a welcoming space and develop responsive media arts programming for teens in the community.

Core Requirements (NOHFC program requirements)

- Be a university or college graduate who has graduated within the last three years from an accredited college or university in the Degree or Diploma program in Media Arts, Community Development, Non-Profit Administration, Education or related field.
- Position must be first-time employment in field of study
- Candidates can only participate in the internship program once and must be legally entitled to work in Canada.

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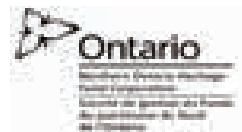
- Well-organized, self-starter who is attentive to detail
- Excellent communication skills and comfortable communicating via various social media platforms
- Working knowledge of film and video equipment, digital and media technologies and software with willingness to expand knowledge based on teen interest
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint) and technologically current with web-based programs and social media
- Previous experience with teen/young adults in education an asset
- Have a current passport by Spring 2017 and willingness to travel
- Ability to travel between library branches

We thank all applicants, however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. The successful candidate will require a "Police Records Search Certificate" intended for the Vulnerable Sector.

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ACFO-Témiskaming's 22nd annual brunch this Sunday

Sue Nielsen
Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES — There will be plenty of “joie de vivre” this Sunday at Riverside Place.

The French-speaking residents and organizations of south Temiskaming will gather together to enjoy a brunch and awards ceremony this coming Sunday, January 15 at the Riverside Place in New Liskeard, hosted by ACFO-Témiskaming.



The annual ACFO (Association canadienne-française de l'Ontario) brunch will see the announcement of the Volunteer of the Year and Youth of the Year awards.

Last year Debbie Demers was chosen as Volunteer of the Year and Alaya Robert as Youth of the Year.

Club Richelieu-Timiskaming generously grants the Youth of the Year recipient a \$500 bursary.

Both award recipients are recognized with a plaque and certificates.

For more information on the ACFO Brunch des Organismes on Sunday, January 15 call Jean-Claude Carrière at 705-647-6105.



SNOW DAYS, SCHOOL DAYS

Grade 2-3's Siyona Sanju, left, and kindergarten student Boris Bakalov joined some 30 schoolmates in the gym at English Catholic Central School earlier this week. It was the first activity station for students who spent a “snow day” at school. When buses are cancelled, most area schools remain open. The new year is off to a stormy start – students had been back in class only one day after the Christmas break when buses were cancelled on two consecutive days because of the weather. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

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Courage

He tweeted out that she was the most overrated actress in Hollywood, even though she has received hundreds of awards and accolades for her life's work.

Of course Donald Trump was talking about actress Meryl Streep after she barbecued him at the recent Golden Globe Awards.

Ms. Streep gave a speech at the Golden Globe Awards that was brilliant. It was both uplifting and at the same time critical of Donald Trump without ever naming him directly.

During her speech, Ms. Streep rightly stood up for the press and for disabled people, both of who have been on Trump's "mock them" list.

Such courage, such integrity, such respect for journalism coming from Ms. Streep and yet not from the person who occupies the highest office in America?

Aren't we glad we live north of the border where our political scandals are less than salacious?

I don't think we need to worry about Ms. Streep's female empowerment that's for sure.

While others remain silent about what is happening south of the border, she took a courageous stand.

I know many people will say Streep is the epitome of privilege being rich and a Hollywood actress and perhaps she is being slightly hypocritical.

But I have never known her to use her position to do anything other than help others.

She has credibility.

Words are powerful and they matter.



Sue Nielsen

There has been a war on media of late, hasn't there?

As a member of the media, I would like to provide some clarity if I may.

When you speak of journalists, please do not lump us all in as "media". Journalists are reporters, editors, columnists, photographers -- all of whom have lives and families.

We do what we do because we love our jobs, regardless of the long hours, the low pay and the heavy drinking.

Ha, ha, just kidding on the heavy drinking.

You do know that press freedoms are your freedoms?

We must never forget freedom of expression is a fundamental human right and it is not the prerogative of the politician to limit that freedom.

At the national, regional and local level, the press is the public's watchdog as well as informant, educator, entertainer and chronicler.

The press shine light in the dark corners of governments, big business etc.

Thank you Ms. Streep for reminding us that it's up to all of us to have empathy and stand up for one another.

As writer Elizabeth Gilbert says, "Courage is the hardest assignment in the world."

We need courage for everything important in our lives.

I know the world isn't a womb, but it is comforting when people take a stand for others.



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EDITORIAL

Underserviced area?

Statistics released by various health care agencies tell us one in five Canadians will experience a mental illness in their lifetime.

But it might be worth noting, because of the stigma surrounding mental illness, that number could be upwards of three in five Canadians will experience a mental illness so severe it will debilitate them.

According to the Registered Nurse and President/CEO of Hotel-Dieu Grace Healthcare, Janice Kaffer, only seven per cent of our health care dollars are directed towards mental health and addictions services.

But at the same time it is estimated the costs to treat and care for mental illness and addictions accounts for \$50 billion annually of taxpayer dollars.

From a social and humanitarian standpoint, this is unacceptable not to mention the scale of economies just doesn't make sense either.

Certainly in the Temiskaming region, with the Temiskaming Health Unit as mandated by the LHINs (Local Health Integrated Network North East region) dissolving its mental health services, we see one service provider charged with delivering mental health services in the

south Temiskaming region, this being the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA).

We hope that there are sufficient mental health and addictions programs, specialized services serving youth, adults and seniors in our communities.

Just as a patient who has heart disease or other chronic illness, mental health patients must receive timely care.

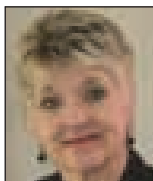
People needing mental health services are heading to the emergency rooms of local hospitals and that statement is backed up by the CMHA who say cite statistics from 2005 about the use of emergency rooms for mental health services which have doubled in Northern Ontario compared to the provincial average.

This would indicate our region is underserviced when it comes to mental health care.

People who experience mental illness should be given the same priority as someone who has a heart attack, stroke, cancer, a broken leg, etc.

The services need to be in place to help people regardless of whether they live in downtown Toronto or New Liskeard.

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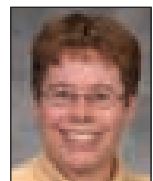
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time off or are not available for health reasons. Mr. Studholme said there will be the same number of vehicles on the road, and an effort is ongoing to "keep those numbers of vehicles on the road."

He said the physical and health issues that may come up with paramedics mean that if any one takes time off, another person is needed to step in to that shift. Notices have now been made public that there are openings for part-time paramedics.

DTSSAB also is responsible for the administration and maintenance of 23 rent-geared-to-income buildings across the district.

ELEVATOR POSSIBLE

Currently DTSSAB is looking at having an elevator constructed at 100 Market Street in New Liskeard. Mr. Studholme said that DTSSAB has money available for the project. Of the two-storey social housing buildings that DTSSAB owns, 100 Market Street would be the easiest for the installation of an elevator, he explained. He noted that the province has a goal of ensuring accessibility to buildings in the province for people who have mobility challenges.

The Best Start program, initi-

ated as a pilot project in three jurisdictions in Ontario approximately ten years ago (which included Temiskaming) will be coming to an end March 31, 2017. Through Best Start, program supports were available for families with very young children. DTSSAB's community partners (including Timiskaming Health Unit, Temiskaming Child Care, Temiskaming Centre de Santé, and the day-care centres) have been making use of the program.

Mr. Studholme said the elimination of this funding will not affect the subsidies which help families pay for daycare spots for their children. That funding hasn't been decreased, he said.

BUDGET

DTSSAB staff will be presenting a complete budget along with recommendations to the board this month at its January 18 meeting in Englehart. The budget will determine whether the municipal levies will increase this year, and if they do, that could impact the municipal budgets.

"We're always trying to hit a zero per cent increase for the municipalities," said Mr. Studholme. In past years DTSSAB has used its reserves to offset its budgets in an attempt to maintain a zero per cent increase on



ENJOYING THE WINTER

Families can frequently be found enjoying the winter setting of the Temiskaming Nordic Ski Club in Coleman Township. Isabelle Ducharme, 5, and her father Marc of New Liskeard, are pictured here as Isabelle, in her third year of skiing, practiced on a small hill. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

the municipal levies. Mr. Studholme noted that he has not yet seen the final 2017 budget figures.

Municipalities give support for rail passenger service

Continued from A Front

But he agreed the current system is not providing adequate service for Northerners. "The buses are horrible and the train service is non-existent," he said. The North needs "some kind of system that will work," he continued. But a return of the passenger service that existed before is not something that he could see happening.

Mayor Tina Sartoretto said that Ontario Northland "is still actively pursuing some kind of rail service."

Noting a presentation made to the Temiskaming Mayors Action Group in late fall, she said Ontario Northland representatives expressed "interest in restoring some form of passenger rail service."

SUPPORT

Councillors Sue Nielsen and Gary Bigelow both expressed their support for the resolution, if it would help obtain improved transportation.

Mayor Sartoretto said efforts are being made to find "a blended solution for people in Northern Ontario."

Councillor Othmer said he

would be satisfied if he could get a train from North Bay south "on some kind of decent schedule."

The council agreed to support Latchford's resolution, which has been circulating across Northern municipalities.

The resolution stated that passenger rail service is essential for economic development, tourism and access to health care. The resolution stated that access to health care beyond Northern com-

munities is dependent on bus passenger service which is unreliable during inclement weather because of frequent Highway 11 closures, occurring close to 200 times between Muskoka and Hearst during the past three years, with average delays of six-and-a-half hours. This impacts patients requiring appointments, and also impacts medical practitioners travelling to the area to provide specialty support.

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Smoking and Life Expectancy

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Tips to Help You Quit

Try making a list of the:

- situations when you smoke to help you identify what triggers you to light up
- benefits you see in quitting
- activities you picture yourself doing instead of smoking, like going for a walk or run

Get moving

Exercise relaxes the mind and body, and helps repair some of the damage smoking has done to your health.

Support to Reduce and/or Quit Smoking

First attempts are often unsuccessful. You know this already if you've tried to quit smoking. Support is available if you want to make your next attempt the one that sticks.

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Forum feeding info on food-related tourism

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) – There are tours of Niagara’s wind region, a “butter tarts and buggies” trail in southwestern Ontario, and an apple pie trail in the Collingwood area.

How can Temiskaming get a taste of food-related tourism?

Exploring the links between food, farms and tourism is one of the goals of a local food forum that’ll be held in Temiskaming Shores next week.

It’s being facilitated by the Culinary Tourism Alliance, a not-for-profit organization.

It describes its mission as ensuring “that authentic food experiences become a significant economic driver for communities across Ontario, and a primary way for travellers to enrich their experience.”

The daylong forum will be held January 17 at Riverside Place in New Liskeard.

In addition to discussing how to increase food tourism in the region, Temiskaming Shores economic development officer James Franks hoped ideas will also emerge on ways to boost institutional purchase of local foods.

The forum is open to a wide range of participants, from producers, farms and retailers to restaurants, accommodation providers, attraction operators and event organizers.

SCHEDULE

The schedule includes a session on the basics of food tourism, a look at market readiness and best practices, and a general discussion identifying the unique “taste of place” offered in the Temiskaming region.

For further information or to register, contact Mr. Franks at 705-672-3363 ext. 4137.

BACK ON BOARD

The Tri-Town Ski and Snowboard Village is scheduled to open for the first time this season on Saturday, January 14. One of the best ways to improve your downhill skiing and snowboarding is through weekend lessons, just like Seth Ethier did last season (right) with certified snowboard instructor Andrea Burton. (Supplied photo)



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MPP predicts more health care funding cuts

TORONTO (Special/Staff) – The latest report by the province’s independent financial accountability office confirms that more cuts to health care are coming, says the New Democrats’ finance critic.

health sector expense targets, it will have to reduce spending by \$400 million in 2016-17, \$900 million next year, and \$1.5 billion the following year. Health care in Ontario “is at a tipping point,” MPP Vanthof said.

“Hospitals and emergency rooms are overcrowded, people are waiting far too long for surgeries, and hospitals are being forced to treat people in hallways that were never designed for patient care,” he continued.

They’re the results of the Liberal government’s “deep cuts” to health care “year after year,” he said.

He said the cuts and layoffs of nurses and health care workers must stop.

“We need to make sure hospital funding keeps up with inflation and population growth and the unique needs of communities, each and every year.”

He said the report raises serious concerns about the long-term sustainability of Ontario’s current standard of care.

QUESTIONS

The FAO said its analysis raises



JOHN VANTHOF

In a news release, John Vanthof, also Timiskaming-Cochrane New Democrat MPP, referred to the report by the Financial Accountability Office (FAO) that was unveiled earlier this week.

It found that, if the Liberal government is to meet its 2016



A 2017 GIFT

At this week’s clinic in Temiskaming Shores, Canadian Blood Services phlebotomist Sylvie-Valerie Denis monitored Bob Beaulieu as the Kerns man made his 26th donation. Mr. Beaulieu said he was inspired by Sylvie Cormier-Rivard, who worked to restore local blood clinics, to begin donating. Temiskaming Shores’ next clinic will be March 14. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

questions about the sustainability of two per cent average annual growth in health care

expenditures beyond 2018-19 “if health quality and level of service are to be maintained.”

MPP Vanthof said Ontarians did not vote for \$2.8 billion in health care cuts.



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254 Laurette St., Dymond \$239,900 MLS# TM163043 Custom D&M kitchen! Huge master bedroom with walk-in, 2 updated bathrooms, new flooring throughout, bright & clean! Full finished basement. Private backyard a must see!

Like New! 2 Garages, rear deck and so much more!!



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242 Farah Ave., \$299,900 MLS# TM162 2+2 Beds, 2 baths. All brick bungalow, interlock driveway, drive-through enclosed carport, with rear ally access. Nice big entrance, central air, custom kitchen with island. Great location walking distance to most amenities!

1600 square feet—huge entrance—basement partly finished



19 Fisher Dr., New Liskeard \$384,000 - 3 Beds, 1 main bath + master ensuite. Modern kitchen, open concept, basement partitioned, roughed-in and drywalled. Arriving end of September for fall closing. Be a part of a new and exciting subdivision! Tarion new home warranty.

145 Caroline Court - New Liskeard



145 Caroline Crt., \$229,900 3+1 Beds, 2 baths. Large 24x30 heated garage. Full finished basement. Updated flooring throughout main floor. Very well maintained! Cheap utilities!!

Haileybury – Across from Marina!



420 Farr Dr., Haileybury \$259,900 MLS# TM162619 3 Beds, 2 baths. Lakeviews from most bedrooms! Cozy kitchen, lost of storage and built-in cabinets, main floor laundry, well cared for! Full unfinished basement. Attached garage with paved drive. Quiet end unit. Perfect for snowbirds and lake lovers alike!

Very EFFICIENT! Backing onto Wabi River—New Liskeard



52 Church St., New Liskeard \$184,900 MLS# TM161490 4 Beds, 1 full bath, 2 half baths. Bright, clean, many updates including electrical, plumbing, shingles, roof, flooring, kitchen and more. Priced to sell!

Winter camping

Scouts Canada guide to enjoying the outdoors in winter

DISTRICT (Staff/special) — When the temperatures dip and the snow begins to fly, there is no need to put away the camping gear quite yet.

More and more families are finding out winter camping in the “off” season can be an enjoyable experience.

Winter camping is an affordable way to enjoy adventure in the outdoors with loved ones.

“There is something completely Canadian about camping in the winter,” says National Youth Commissioner and Chair of the National Youth Network at Scouts Canada, Caitlyn Pilon.

Scouts are Canada’s youngest outdoor experts and they experience winter camping at a young age to learn survival skills and how to work together safely to the enjoy the great outdoors.

From the novice camper to the experienced adventurer, there are a variety of ways to enjoy winter camping.

GLAMPING

Glamour camping or “glamping” is a global trend that offers the best of both worlds, the outdoor experience minus the harshness of camping.

Glamping offers a more luxurious experience in a caravan, cabin or yurt.

HOT TENT CAMPING

For families and individuals seeking a more rustic experience, there’s hot tent camping. Hot tent camping involves connecting a small stove (usually a wood fire stove) to an external pipe, so the temperature in the tent remains cozy and warm.

This allows people to play games and move around comfortably inside the tent.

THE QUINZEE

For those seeking a bit more adventure, the quinzee might be the winter camping option. This is a shelter made of snow that requires the builder to pack snow into a mound about seven or eight feet high. The structure is allowed to settle overnight.

SAFETY

Scouts Canada emphasizes safety and being prepared for any scenario.

The following six survival tips are meant to ensure your outdoor camping trip is fun but safe.

1. Check the weather forecast before heading out. Large amounts of snowfall can be dangerous along with plummeting temperatures.

2. Be cotton-free. Cotton holds onto moisture and it should be replaced by wool or synthetic clothing that quickly wicks moisture away from the skin to the outer portion of the garment. It is important to stay dry in the outdoors and purchasing a good warm parka, boots, snow pants, hat and mitts is a must.

3. Think like an onion. Onions have layers and layers of clothing are important to help regulate body temperatures and avoid sweating. Exposed skin results in a loss of body temperature.

4. Stay hydrated. Drink plenty of water and avoid caffeine as it dehydrates which could lead to

hypothermia.

5. Be aware of your surroundings. Camping in the winter requires greater caution as heavy snow and icicles can fall from branches overhead. Hazards can also be hidden under the

layers of snow. It is always a good idea to be cautious around ice and running water.

6. Prepare for any scenario. Always bring along a daypack with emergency supplies. Pack essentials include a first aid kit,

dry layers, whistle, emergency blanket, snacks and water and something to start a fire.

Scout tip: Store your water bottle upside down in winter as water freezes from the top.



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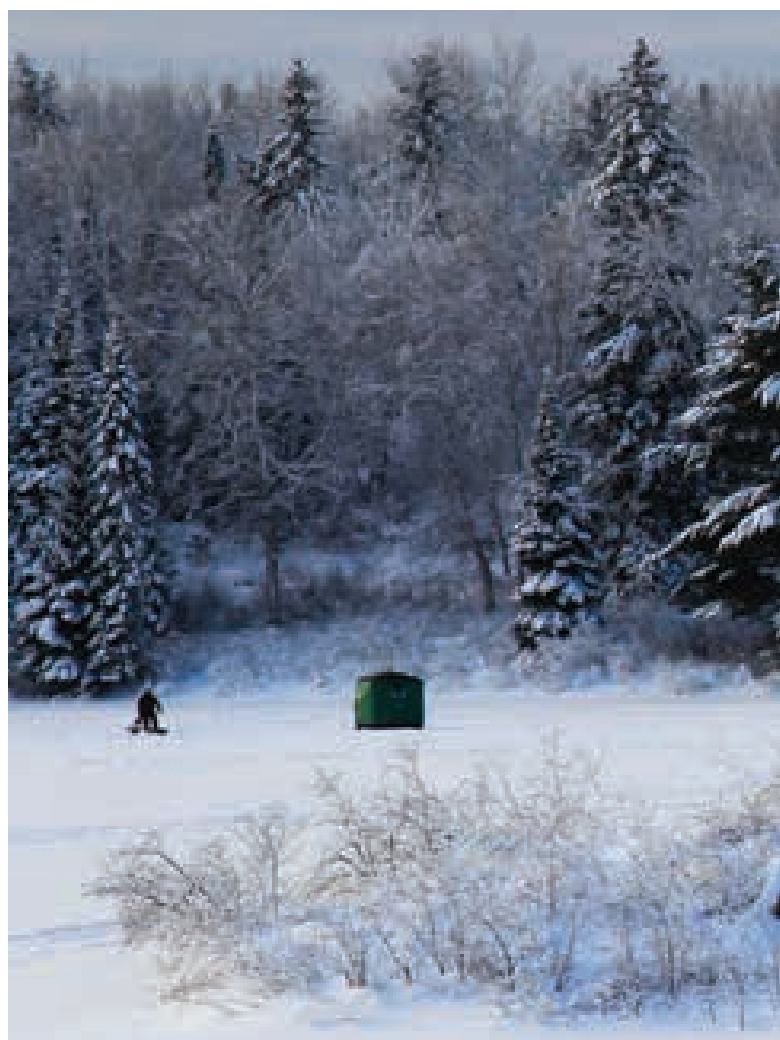
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Anglers on Gillies Lake in Coleman Township were enjoying all the amenities that come with a Northern winter in the outdoors. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

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December 22 - January 19

AQUARIUS

You'll assuredly do something amazing and be placed on a pedestal. You aren't always comfortable in the spotlight, but you'll be able to overcome your timid nature.



January 20 - February 18

PISCES

You could start looking for a new house, or at the very least you'll decide to renovate or redecorate your current abode. Your family will require an unexpected amount of your energy.



February 19 - March 20

ARIES

Though people will want to keep you quiet, you won't be able to bite your tongue. Your frankness could help you get out of a complex financial situation.



March 21 - April 19

TAURUS

There is lots of unexpected action in your life. At work, you will be given a new position or you'll be asked to move around considerable amounts of money. This should come with a raise.



April 20 - May 20

GEMINI

You'll chase away any depressive feelings by engaging in a new physical activity. You'll feel the need to get moving and to let off some steam. Go join a gym.



May 21 - June 21

CANCER

You'll have the illumination you've been waiting for to correct something in your professional life. You'll finally solve a recurring health problem once and for all.



June 22 - July 22

LEO

You'll be overwhelmed at work, and there will be just as much action in your home life. You're the one that people will count on to plan everything.



July 23 - August 22

VIRGO

You'll go back to work well rested and more productive than ever, which will earn you a promotion you won't be able to refuse. You'll be offered the boss's job, or perhaps you'll start your own business.



August 23 - September 22

LIBRA

At the first annoyance, you'll escape to a sunny destination rather than fight uselessly. You'll be endowed with great wisdom, and you'll most certainly have lots of fun.



September 23 - October 22

SCORPIO

You're very emotional and you might feel as if the universe is conspiring against you. It's probably a sign that the time has come to make some changes.



October 23 - November 21

SAGITTARIUS

You'll need to weigh the pros and cons of a certain situation for a good while before you make a decision. You'll have an occasion for which to dress up—perhaps a business lunch.



November 22 - December 21

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CLUES

ACROSS

1. Unpleasantly damp
5. Like some cheese
9. Have
12. Hard metal
13. Heavy twine
14. Neckline style
15. Parent
16. Aluminum sheet
17. Munch on
18. Grandma's brooch
20. Salespeople
22. Formal
25. Burn slowly
29. Superstar
33. Dad
34. Enclosed truck
36. Nil
37. Colony dwellers
38. Propose
40. Peaceful
43. Intrude
46. Within the law
51. Iced drink
52. Carpenters' tools

55. Mobile starter
56. Shout
57. Mimic
58. Messy fellow
59. "____ So Shy"
60. Stage production
61. Graceful trees

26. Human being
27. Pick
28. Cowboy's tool
30. Fawn's mom
31. Switch choices
32. Allow
35. Convent

DOWN

1. Type of brakes
2. Opera highlight
3. Average
4. On bended _____
5. Sandy's wool
6. Icky stuff
7. Heroic narratives
8. Vales
9. Blown lead-in
10. Not strong
11. Hair holders
19. Unusual
21. Looking at
23. Gun, as an engine
24. Rub out
25. Resort of sorts
26. Human being
27. Pick
28. Cowboy's tool
30. Fawn's mom
31. Switch choices
32. Allow
35. Convent
- denizen
39. Become firm
41. Winding curves
42. Arrive at
43. Craving
44. Only
45. Settles a bill
47. Diminish
48. Seabird
49. Minute particle
50. Tosses
53. Owl's question?
54. Mama pig

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JAN 14TH - Blanche River Golden Age Club Meeting & Potluck at Hilliardton Hall for Members & Card Players, Meeting 5pm, Potluck and Social 6pm. For more info call Sadie 705-563-2572.

"THE ENGLEHART AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY IS HAVING THEIR ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTIONS OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS, ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18TH, AT 6:00 PM AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ENGLEHART, 55 THIRD STREET. We will be starting with a Pot Luck supper with the meeting to follow.

THE PROGRAM IS A SLIDE PRESENTATION BY EILEEN FISHER ON OUR PAST YEAR OF ACTIVITIES." THE TEMISKAMING TREASURER GUILD WILL HAVE ITS MEETING ON THURSDAY JANUARY 26 2017 from 7:00-9:00 pm at the salvation army's meeting room on 260 whitewood ave new liskeard. the canada 150th quilting bee project will be presented at this meeting.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 2017 -

The Temiskaming Treasurer Guild will have its meeting on Thursday, January 26, 2017 from 7:00-9:00 PM at the Salvation Army's meeting room on 260 Whitewood Ave New Liskeard. The Canada 150th Quilting Bee project will be presented at this meeting.

JAN 30TH - FEB 1ST - ATTENTION ALL CATTLE FARMERS - Steve Kenyon Workshop on year round grazing. Jan 3th - Feb 1st, 2017 in New Liskeard. Contact NOFIA to register & with payment information at (705)647-4782 or email nofia.on@gmail.com. Only 14 spots available.

FEB 3RD - TEMISKAMING ANGLER AND HUNTER ASSOCIATION (TAHA) Wild Chef Challenge at Riverside Place at 6pm.

TEMISKAMING ANGLER AND HUNTER ASSOCIATION (TAHA) meeting in room 105 at TDSS at 7pm.

Dates: January 11, March 1, April 5, May 3 & June 7, 2017.

LITTLE CLAYBELT HOMESTEADERS MUSEUM WILL BE HOLDING ITS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AT THE MUSEUM IN NEW LISKEARD AT 7 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2017.

REMINDER! COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 28, 2017. Is your project eligible? Grants usually range from \$500 to \$2,000. For more information please contact The Temiskaming Foundation at 705-647-1055 or via email at tff@ntl.sympatico.ca.

REMINDER! FOR KIDS SAKE

GRANT APPLICATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 28, 2017. If you are part of a non-profit community organization providing activities for children and youth you may be eligible for a grant. Grants are awarded to a maximum of \$2,000. For more information please contact The Temiskaming Foundation at 705-647-1055 or via email at tff@ntl.sympatico.ca. **TEMISKAMING HOSPITAL AUXILIARY GIFT SHOP** - check out our selection of jewellery, scarves, purses, baby gifts, variety of giftware. all proceeds from sales go toward purchasing equipment, patient comfort items, etc. in hospital.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS MEETINGS The "Just for today" group holds N.A. meetings on Sundays and Thursdays at 7 pm, in New Liskeard on 70 Wellington street at St Paul's United church. We welcome new comers. Very simply an addict is a man or woman who's life is controlled by drugs. This is a place where addicts come to share their experience with other fellow addicts. As long as you have the desire to stop using or drinking you are in the right place and are always welcome at these meetings. ONE DAY LONGER, ONE DAY STRONGER

THE TEMISKAMING HOSPITAL AUXILIARY: The Temiskaming Hospital Auxiliary is recruiting volunteers to work in the hospital gift/tuck shop. If you have 2 hours of time to spare as a volunteer, either morning, afternoon or evening, please contact the Auxiliary President Diane Vachon at 705-

647-8066 or Penny Graydon at 705-647-5870. This is a rewarding way of giving back to the community.

NEW - COMMUNITY FUND FOR CANADA'S 150TH - A small grants program run by community foundations to support local initiatives related to Canada's sesquicentennial. For more details on the Fund and to learn how and when to apply, visit www.communityfoundations.ca/CFC150 or contact The Temiskaming Foundation at 705-647-1055 or tff@ntl.sympatico.ca. There will be 2 rounds of grants. The first round of applications will be accepted until October 14th, 2016.

EVERY 2ND AND 4TH WEDNESDAY - Hudson Young at Heart - Adults 55 years and over meet every 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 12 noon for potluck lunch and activities. Located at the Hudson Hall. Everyone welcome! For more information, call 705-647-9670.

EVERY TUESDAY - ATTENTION KNITTERS: - If you would like to knit for third world children, your help would be appreciated. We meet every Tuesday afternoon at 1:30pm at the Community of Christ Church on Niven St., New Liskeard. Yarn and needles are available. All are welcome. Contact Donna Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

HARD OF HEARING? DEAF? OR ANYONE - interested in taking a local Speech (Lip) Reading course, free of charge? 1 evening of 2 hours per week for 10 weeks. **CALL 1-800-718-0436 TO REGISTER.**

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EVERY TUESDAY

EVERY TUESDAY - ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Meet at 8pm at the Englehart United Church (next to the post office).

The Temiskaming Palette & Brush Club Painting sessions are from **1:00 - 4:00 every TUESDAY AFTERNOON.** Club room is in the Haileybury Arena at 400 Ferguson Street. Jeannine at 705-672-1028

EVERY 2ND TUESDAY

HILLIARDTON RECREATION will be having a Euchre Card Party every 2nd Tues. night starting Nov 8th @ 7PM at the Hilliardton Community Hall.

EVERY WEDNESDAY

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets on **WEDNESDAY EVENING St. Paul's United Church, New Liskeard. Weigh in begins at 5:30 PM.** For more information contact Bonnie @ 705-647-1609.

ENGLEHART AND DISTRICT PIONEER CLUB - 11:45am. 705-544-2435.

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EVERY THURSDAY

The Temiskaming Shores Heart of the North Duplicate Club meets every Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Community Hall, New Liskeard. Newcomers welcome.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets on **THURSDAY MORNING New Liskeard Legion Hall, New Liskeard. 10am.** For more information contact Christine @ 705-628-2019.

1ST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

M.S. SUPPORT GROUP MEETING @ New Liskeard Arena lobby from 1-3 pm

2ND MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

THE CHARLTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Regular monthly meetings are the **2nd Monday of every month** Info @ 705-544-2818 or 705-544-2980

3RD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

TEMISKAMING LIONESS LIONS CLUB. New members are always welcome. Come join this group of ladies at the Lions Den (below the Community Hall in NL) the 3rd Monday of every month at 7 pm. For more info contact any Lioness or 1-705-647-4921 or 1-705-676-6777.

4TH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Temiskaming Hospital Auxiliary REGULAR MEETING 4TH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH at 2 pm in the boardroom at the hospital. Everyone Welcome!

2ND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Coffee House Musical Jam - 7:00PM - 10:00PM - St Paul's United Church Auditorium - 70 Wellington St. New Liskeard. All musicians welcome, young and old of all abilities, all music - country, rock, gospel, jazz - Family, friends & anyone who appreciates the fellowship of music makers and their sound! For info contact Steve Teal at 705-647-5737 or email coffeehouse2tues@outlook.com

EVERY 2ND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Fibromyalgia support group meet every second Tuesday of each month at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Church from 1pm-3pm. Contact Christine at 705-628-2019 for more info

2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Golden Age Club: General membership meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month @ the Golden Age Hall, 22 Argentite St. Cobalt. 1 - 2 pm. Annual membership is available at a cost of \$15. For further information, call 705-679-5525 & leave a message.

3RD WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

WOMEN OF ALL AGES from Kerns and Hudson Townships are invited to the Milberta Community Women meetings every 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. Programs include guest speakers and fun activities. Call Audrey for more information at 705-647-6205

LAST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH

ALL LADIES WELCOME TO DROP IN FOR TEA AND FUN - the last Thursday of each month. 1:30-3:00. The Salvation Army, 260 Whitewood 705-647-4115.

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WEEKENDER SPORTS

Cubs on the road Sunday to battle Wolves

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) – The New Liskeard Cubs have another win to build upon when they head out on the road this weekend.



The Great North Midget League team edged the Majors in Timmins 3-2 on January 8.

Next up, they'll be in Sudbury Sunday, January 15, to take on the Nickel Capital Wolves.

It's a rematch of their January 5 game at the Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena when the visitors blanked the Cubs 7-0.

CUBS 3 MAJORS 2

New Liskeard took a 1-0 first period lead against Timmins Sunday on a goal by Tristan Flood assisted by Ethan Allair and Devin Williamson.

Austin Holmes tallied twice in the second for Timmins, but Flood scored his second and Kean Chartrand got what would prove to be the winner with 5:35 to go in the frame.

Assisting were D. Williamson, E. Allair, Alex Maille and Brady Lacharity.

The Cubs took six minor penalties in the game, Timmins six.

WOLVES 7 CUBS 0

At The Shep on Friday the two teams battled to a scoreless draw after the first period, but the gates opened in the second with Sudbury scoring four times and adding three more in the third.

Markers went to Parker Savard, Glenn Therrien, Hunter Chiblow and Alex Rodrigue in the middle stanza.

Chiblow added two in the third and Brady Maltais scored one.

There were only six minors called in the game with Sudbury taking four.

EARLIER

Prior to Christmas the Cubs completed two league games.

TRAPPERS 4 CUBS 0

North Bay was in town Friday, December 23, to play the Cubs at The Shep.

The first, and what would prove to be the winning, goal was scored with 3:33 remaining in the opening period by Cole

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Lions reach quarter-finals at Winter Classic

OTTAWA (Staff) – The New Liskeard Lions are back on home ice this weekend when they return to league play at the Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena.

The Abitibi-Témiscamingue Hyundai Midget BB League squad is scheduled to host Témiscamingue Home Hardware Saturday, January 14, at 6:35 p.m.



Sunday, January 15, the Lions are in Amos to take on the Comètes at 1 o'clock.

New Liskeard is coming off a weekend in Ottawa where they

played in the Capital Winter Classic Tournament January 5-8.

In their first game they shut-out the Nepean Raiders 1-0 on Friday morning.

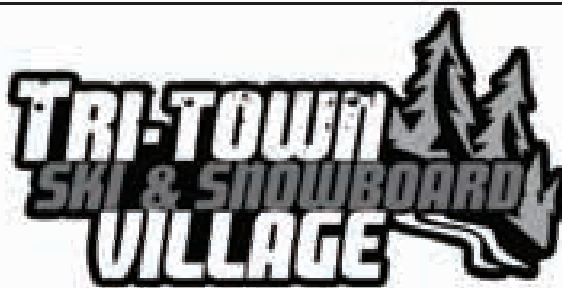
Later that afternoon the Ottawa Golden Knights doubled up on the Lions 4-2.

Saturday morning the Lions were back in the win column

after they blanked the Toronto Aces 3-0.

In their final round game, New Liskeard posted another shutout, this time 1-0 over Northumberland.

That was good enough to make the Sunday playoff round but the Lions were stopped from further play, losing 4-2 to the Blind River Thunder.



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WEEKENDER SPORTS



Tristen McClinchey, goaltender Sebastien Plamondon and their New Liskeard Cub teammates hosted the Sudbury Nickel Capital Wolves on January 6 at The Shep. The visitors skated away with a 7-0 victory. The two teams meet again Sunday, January 15, in Sudbury. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

Cubs on the road Sunday

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Craft of the Trappers.

Payton Vescio added a power play marker in the second and in the third Eric Lachance made it 3-0. Mason McMahon scored into the empty net with 39 seconds remaining in regulation.

North Bay took 10 minor penalties in the game, New Liskeard six.

CUBS 6 MAJORS 2

New Liskeard got what it wanted December 21 when the Timmins Majors were in town.

“We are looking for some revenge since they beat (us) back-to-back (in early December),” Cubs coach Simon Chartrand told The Speaker before the match.

Things did indeed work out for the home team starting with a first period goal by Phil Corbin at 3:24, assisted by Logan Wil-

liamson and Alex Maille.

Cameron Chisholm tied the game early in the second for the Majors, but Devin Williamson scored twice for New Liskeard to make it 3-1.

Clark Allair assisted on the fist, Tristan McClinchey on the second.

Riley Robitaille tried to draw Timmins closer in the third, but the New Liskeard attack continued with Brady Lacharity, Jordan Legros and Robbie Popkie (into the empty net) scoring for the Cubs.

Earning helpers were Tristan Flood, Cole Vaudry-Callin and Lacharity.

The Cubs took four minors, Timmins had seven plus a 10-minute misconduct, and two four-minute penalties for head contact for 32 minutes total.

NORDIC NEWS

By Lynn Gibson,
TNSC Member

The Temiskaming Nordic Ski Club (TNSC) received the snow we were waiting for last week and the trails have a great base. Come ski and find out for yourselves!

MOONLIGHT SKI AND GAMES NIGHT



Saturday, January 14, at 7 p.m. is the first Moonlight Ski of the season.

Come and ski by the light of the full moon (headlamps are

recommended) and then join us in the chalet for a games night.

We are foregoing the moonlight ski potluck suppers this year and instead will meet and socialize with games after the ski.

Bring your favourite board or card game, plus your friends, and enjoy a cozy evening at the chalet with the warmth of the woodstove fires and your favourite beverages and snacks. The kitchen is available to

cook or warm up food. TNSC members are encouraged to bring non-member friends/family (trail fees are waived, rental equipment fees apply).

See you Saturday night!

FAMILY POTLUCKS

There is a new activity this season at TNSC!

Two Family Potluck Suppers are planned, the first being at 5 p.m. on Sunday, January 22, and the second at 5 p.m. on Sunday, February 26. Brigid

Wilkinson will provide entertainment starting at 4:30 on January 22. These events include the whole family so bring your children and grandparents and aunts and uncles! Bring any potluck dish you wish – as usual, we don't plan a menu – and partake in a feast. Enjoy a ski before the event and then relax with friends and family for a meal together. Mark this date on your calendar!



The TNSC began its Jackrabbit program on Saturday, January 7, to help skiers of all levels improve their skills. Among the participants was Samuel Lapointe, 7, of New Liskeard, who is now in his third year of skiing. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

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