



Different track

Passenger rail can work with changes, believes MPP

Darlene Wroe
Speaker Reporter



JOHN VANTHOF

DISTRICT - Timiskaming-Cochrane MPP John Vanthof says bringing passenger rail back to the North can work if it is a service that people can use and that complements, rather than competes, with other services.

But it will not work as it was before the Cochrane to Toronto run was cancelled in September

2012, he said.

"There are things that are going to have to change."

His comments were in response to a study recently published by the Northern Policy Institute which found that returning the passenger rail service was not viable, and that running the service was requiring a subsidy of \$257 per passenger, while running the motor coach service required a subsidy of \$2.16 per passenger.

The report also found that there is little argument for passenger rail service as a way to reduce traffic congestion on Highway 11, or to significantly reduce environmental impacts, because of low ridership in



BUBBLY PERSONALITY

Three-year-old Remi and his mom Chantal Paquin had their own take on "social bubbles" when the Latchford pair dropped by the Haileybury beach on the weekend. Feeding the ducks and playing at the beach have proven to be favourites this summer, said Paquin. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

the past, as is anticipated in the future.

Vanthof said he did look at the report and he respects the authors, but looking at the service as it was leads to a conclusion which he would also agree with - it will not work.

"If we bring back exactly the same service that we had it's going to fail again," Vanthof agreed. "There

wasn't the ridership."

The schedule did not work for people, he noted.

"I couldn't use it. I would have been happy to take the train to Toronto, but with the schedule, I would never have been able to get home on the weekends."

To make rail passenger service viable "there are

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DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?

Here are some of the stories in our July 29 edition...

- A historic election has resulted in the first Teme-Augama Anishnabai female chief being elected.
- The Timiskaming Health Unit has reported a new case of COVID-19 in the Temiskaming district.
- A North Cobalt woman is in the fight of her life.
- Flooded basements have residents in New Liskeard drowning in a sea of costly repairs.
- James Township's new reeve, Dave Mullin, is encouraged by Elk Lake's handling of the COVID-19 situation.
- After a lengthy hiatus, the City of Temiskaming Shores is reopening its recreational facilities in compliance with the province's third phase of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Balls won't be knocked out of the park in support of Team Shan and breast cancer awareness this summer.
- The Temagami Dry soft drink trademark is being offered to the Town of Temagami by Fortier Beverages.
- The City of Temiskaming Shores has seen two longtime employees retire in Fire Chief Tim Uttley and Public Works Director Doug Walsh.
- Youth are linked in at the New Liskeard Golf Club during the Junior Lesson program.
- Batter up will once again be heard across the Algonquin Regiment Memorial Beach Park as the Men's slo-pitch league began play for an abbreviated season.
- It was a fast decision originating from a slow pandemic to cancel the Men's fastball season.



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LET THE FUN BEGIN

Emerson Cragg, 4, of Englehart, is excited that the playgrounds in Englehart have been reopened. When she noticed the caution tape had been removed from around the playground equipment, she was eager for a trip to her two favourite parks in the town. She is pictured here enjoying a swing ride while her mother Stephanie pushes her. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

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Continued from Front Page things that are going to have to be changed."

Vanthof said passenger rail has to be looked at "as an opportunity to increase transportation in the North."

He noted there are related business opportunities in the area between Toronto and North Bay that were not considered in the study.

"If we bring this service back, we have to make sure it's actually a service that people can and will use and that complements other services, not competes with them."

He said studying the service as it was, and concluding that

it would not be viable, was not a surprise.

"I don't think that would work either."

NPI

The Northern Policy Institute issued a press release July 16 saying their study found that "there is no be-all and end-all definite answer" about whether passenger rail makes sense for Northern Ontario.

Lead author Al Phillips expressed personal support for passenger rail but said that when following the data it was found that "from an economic perspective, and in the context of allocation of resources, regularly scheduled passenger

rail does not appear to make sense for Northern Ontario."

A strong argument can be found for improved connectivity for First Nations communities, the study concludes. It would also be worth considering the value of short-line short-season tourism rail, the study added.

The study concluded that "the expanding bus network and improvements to the on-board accessibility services in the Ontario Northland bus fleet appear, at least in part, to address the transportation needs of Northern Ontario's aging population."

CITY BULLETIN

PUBLIC NOTICE



OFFICE REOPENING/OPEN AIR BURNING PERMITS

On August 4th, 2020 many municipal buildings and facilities in the City of Temiskaming Shores, including the Fire Administration Office at the Dymond Fire Station, will be reopening to the public.

The Fire Department would like to advise all residents that no member of the public will be permitted to enter the office unless they are wearing a mask or face covering in a manner that covers their nose, mouth and chin. Also, during this time, only one member of the public at a time will be permitted to enter the Fire Department Office until further notice. The City and Fire Department will continue to follow the directions of our Medical Officer of Health in order to help reduce the spread of COVID-19, and we appreciate your everyone's cooperation during these difficult times.

Residents requiring a new Burning Permit may once again obtain a burning permit at City Hall in Haileybury or at the Fire Department Administration office at the Dymond Fire Station at no cost. You may also contact the Fire Department by calling (705) 672-3363 ext. 4702 or 4703 and leave a detailed message and someone will contact you to arrange an inspection. Those residents who obtained a Burning Permit in 2019 may still continue to burn in accordance with the conditions as outlined on the open air-burning permit.

Residents are also reminded that you may only burn if conditions allow the fire to burn safely and all necessary steps are taken to control and extinguish the fire. All other conditions as outlined on the burning permit must be followed. Please ensure you adhere to the following burning safety tips so you can enjoy your fire and help reduce the risks to our Firefighters:

- No Day Burning - You may only burn from 6pm - 8am.
- Only Burn Dry, Woody Type Materials - Household trash, plastic or tires are illegal to burn. You may not burn grass or leaves or anything that may cause excessive smoke.
- Always Stay with Your Fire - A responsible person of 18 years of age or older must be present to supervise the fire at all times.
- Respect Your Neighbour - Don't burn where smoke will bother your neighbour or blow across roadways or hamper visibility.
- Control Your Fire - Only burn what you can effectively control. Don't even consider burning when it is windy.

For more information contact the Fire Department or email:

slangford@temiskamingshores.ca or jplante@temiskamingshores.ca

THE CITY OF TEMISKAMING SHORES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING AN APPLICATION FOR MINOR VARIANCE

156462 Clover Valley Rd, Temiskaming Shores
Lot 7, Con 6, Bucke Township
Part 1, Plan 54R1439;
PCL 18987 SEC SST

PURPOSE AND EFFECT OF APPLICATION

The applicant is seeking relief from the interior side yard setback and accessory building height in the General Industrial (M1) Zone (Table 8.3) in order to permit the construction of a material storage building. The purpose of this minor variance application is to permit a reduction in the minimum side yard from 5 metres to 2.6 metres and an increase to the maximum accessory building height from 5 metres to 5.9 metres.

TAKE NOTICE that the Committee of Adjustment for the City of Temiskaming Shores will hold a Public Hearing meeting on the 4th day of August, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. via remote electronic participation to hear the above application as required by Section 45 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P. 13.

This meeting will be held through remote electronic participation in accordance with the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended by Bill 187, the Municipal Emergency Act, 2020.

HOW TO VIEW OR PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING:

- Video Conference: Please contact Shelly Zubyck, for additional information.

YOU ARE ENTITLED TO ATTEND this hearing virtually in person to express your views about the application. If you are unable to attend, you may submit written comments on the application to the Municipal Clerk prior to the date and time of the hearing. Please use the address shown below.

A COPY OF THE DECISION of the Committee will be sent to the applicant and to each person who appeared in person, or was represented at the hearing, who filed with the Clerk a written request to receive the decision.

IF YOU REQUIRE FURTHER INFORMATION, please contact Shelly Zubyck, Director of Corporate Services at 705-672-3363 ext. 4107.

DATED at the City of Temiskaming Shores this 24th day of July, 2020.

Shelly Zubyck, Director of Corporate Services, City of Temiskaming Shores
325 Farr Drive, Haileybury, ON, P0J 1K0, Tel: 705-672-3363

KEY MAP



INDOOR FACILITY UPDATE

Fitness Centre at the Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre – Wednesday July 29, 2020
Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena – Monday August 10, 2020
Swimming Pool at the Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre – Monday August 17, 2020
Please check out www.temiskamingshores.ca/covid19/ or www.facebook.com/temiskamingshores/ for details. New procedures will need to be followed when you return to these facilities so please come prepared!

MUNICIPAL PLAYGROUNDS

Playgrounds throughout the city are open for use! Please respect public health guidelines and stay home if you're sick.

BUCKE PARK CAMPGROUND

Bucke Park campground is open for daily, Weekend, weekly and monthly camping. Car camping and tent camping is allowed and showers are now open. Our park operators will be happy to assist you and can be contacted by calling 672-5889 and selecting Option 5. You can also email the park at buckecenpark@gmail.com

MUNICIPAL MARINAS

Both the New Liskeard and Haileybury Marinas have daily slip rentals and premium gas available. Daily slip fees are only \$28.00 plus HST. The New Liskeard Marina is staffed from 11am to 7pm on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. The Haileybury Marina is staffed from 11am to 7pm on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday.

MUNICIPAL BEACHES

New Liskeard, Haileybury and Bucke Park Beaches are open for UNSUPERVISED swimming. Please respect physical distancing guidelines and other public health recommendations.



CITY BULLETIN

Attention Transit Riders:

The regular 2020 fares are now in effect.

The Temiskaming Transit now has Tickets and Monthly passes available for purchase online. Once processed, please allow 5-7 business days for delivery, as they will be mailed.

Beginning July 24, 2020, all employees and riders are required to wear a mask or face covering upon entering and remaining on the Temiskaming Transit System. Please continue to use the transit for essential trips only.

Book Pickup Service

Our Book Pickup Service will start on Tuesday, August 4. Call the library at 705-647-4215, email us at newliskeard@temisklibrary.com or use our online catalogue at www.temisklibrary.com to order your books. When they are ready for pickup a staff member will arrange a time to pass your books to you at the door of the library. Not sure what you want? Call us for help! All returned items will be quarantined before being put back on the shelf.

Book drop and returning library materials

The Library Book Drop is now open at our new location, at 285 Whitewood Ave. West, Temiskaming Shores, next to Chartrand's Your Independent Grocer. Library items may now be returned in the Book Drop, which is on the parking lot side of the building. If you have items that do not fit in the book drop, you may contact the library at 705-647-4215 to arrange a time to drop them off. Items will be checked in fine free until September 1, 2020.

Relax with an eBook or Audiobook!

The library has registered for the **OverDrive Advantage** program and has purchased 30 ebooks for Temiskaming Shores Library patrons to reduce wait times on our most popular titles. Log into OverDrive to see what is available for Temiskaming Shores Library Card holders!

With your library card, access thousands of ebooks and audiobooks on **Overdrive**. Download titles to borrow for 14 days. Items are automatically returned so there are no late fees!

You can also read ebooks online through **Romance eBook Cloud** or listen to audiobooks online through **Audiobook Cloud** without a library card.

Interactive Fun for Children!

Keep your child reading over the summer with the TD Summer Reading Club, which is all online this year!

View the selection of books online and register today!

English: <https://www.tdsummerreadingclub.ca/books/landing>

French: <https://www.clubdelecturetd.ca/livres/page-de-destination>

Designed for children K-3, **PebbleGo Animals, Science and Dinosaurs** has fun information, videos, and pictures for children. The easy to navigate site allows children to learn about a variety of topics. Login with your library card.

If your children want to read, **TumbleBookLibrary Online** is a great place to go! The online collection of ebooks are suited for children in grades K-6. Existing children's books are animated and have audio narration. The collection includes favorites 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 fairy tales such as Jack and the Beanstalk and Old Mother Hubbard. Use your library card to log in.

Learn Something New!

The **Hobbies and Crafts Reference Centre** offers detailed "how-to" instructions and creative ideas to meet the interests of virtually every hobby enthusiast with articles, videos, and more! Subjects Include: Arts and crafts, Collecting, Home and garden, Indoor recreation, and Kids' crafts. Have your 14 digit library card number ready to log in and start crafting!

Want to brush up on a language or learn a new one? **Mango Languages Online** teaches actual conversation skills for over 50 languages. With helpful feedback, you can learn at your pace, wherever you are. Create an account with your library card.

Find these resources and more at www.temisklibrary.com/en/eresources.



Age Friendly Events

Tuesday August 4 – Outdoor walking, FREE 8:45-9:45am, need a walking partner? Meet at the back deck of the Pool and Fitness Centre to walk along the boardwalk.

Wednesday August 5 - Pickleball 8:45am FREE. Come out to the New Liskeard tennis courts across from the Waterfront Pool and Fitness building for a fun, age friendly sport. Equipment provided.

Thursday August 6 – Pickleball 8:45am FREE. Come out to the New Liskeard tennis courts across from the Waterfront Pool and Fitness building for a fun, age friendly sport. Equipment provided.

Friday August 7 - Hiking Pete's Dam FREE. Meet at 10:00am in the parking lot of the Pete's Dam, located off Petes Dam Road off Highway 65 West. Please bring a water bottle. Physical distancing will be in place.

For more information call Yvonne 705-647-5709 ext 4227 or email ywalford@temiskamingshores.ca

CITY INVOICE ALTERNATE PAYMENT OPTIONS

Receive an invoice from the City?

While now there is an online option to pay these bills.

For your convenience, the City website, www.temiskamingshores.ca has a Payment Portal located on the home page providing you with an online payment option.

Click on the Payment Portal located in the bottom right corner of the home page and follow the instructions.

NOTE:

Payment Portals cannot be utilized to make Tax Payments.

Tax Payments made in the Payment Portals will be refunded to the taxpayer and a \$25 service fee will be applied to the tax account.

For inquiries regarding these matters, please contact the Corporate Services Department at 672-3363 or email to finance@temiskamingshores.ca

Council and Committee MEETINGS

Corporate Services Committee

Thursday, August 6, 2020 @ 12:00 noon – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive
For further information contact Kelly Conlin
705-672-3363 Ext. 4116 or kconlin@temiskamingshores.ca

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, August 11, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive
(Live-Streamed)

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive
(Live-Streamed)
For further information contact Logan Belanger
705-672-3363 Ext. 4136 or lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca

CITY HALL

Effective Tuesday, August 4th, 2020, City Hall will reopen to the public for access to in-person transactions at the service counters on the first floor. Office hours will be Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

For those attending City Hall, please note that the following safety procedures have been implemented:

- Please read all signage on the entrance door prior to entering the building.
- Please use provided hand sanitizer upon entering the building.
- Please wear a mask or a face covering upon entering and remaining within City Hall, some exceptions apply.
- Physical distancing (maintaining a distance from one another and by a space of at least 2 metres) must be adhered to at all times; please follow signage and floor markings.
- Due to space restrictions, a maximum of eight (8) people will be permitted in the lobby area at any one time.
- If more than the posted number of customers are at the office at any given time, please wait in line outside.
- Please self-screen for COVID-19:
 - * Do you have any of the following: fever; cough; difficulty breathing; sore throat, trouble swallowing; runny nose; loss of taste or smell; not feeling well; nausea, vomiting, diarrhea?
 - * Have you been in close contact with someone who is sick or has confirmed COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
 - * Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the past 14 days?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, delay your visit to City Hall, and self-isolate right away. Call the Timiskaming Health Unit to find out if you need a test - 705-647-4305, Ext. 7 / 1-866-747-4305, Ext. 7, and follow the advice of your public health authority. Residents are encouraged to schedule appointments with staff in advance, when possible. Thank you for your cooperation.

NOTICE

WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

Please be notified that the Environmental Crews of the Public Works Department will be carrying out maintenance programs, flushing and testing of fire hydrants throughout the municipal water distribution systems. The work may cause some discoloration in the water; however the effect should be minimal. If a coloured water problem is encountered in your water service line, flushing the service by letting the water run for a period of time should cure the problem. If the coloured water persists, please contact the Public Works Department for assistance at 705.647.6220.

Thank you for your co-operation as Environmental Crews carry out this important maintenance activity.

Public Works Department

Administrative Assistant Competition No. 2020-011

The City of Temiskaming Shores is currently seeking two (2) Temporary Administrative Assistants within the Corporate Services and Recreation Departments. The Administrative Assistant provides confidential, secretarial and administrative services for City staff. The position also provides general reception duties for City Hall and the Pool and Fitness Centre dealing with the public, staff, outside groups and agencies.

The successful candidate will possess the following qualifications and education:

- Successful completion of Grade 12 or equivalent is required;
- Formal post-secondary coursework in office administration, or related field is preferred;
- Two (2) years' experience in administration or an office environment;
- Proficient computer skills with knowledge of Microsoft Word, Excel, and Outlook; and
- Ability to understand and comply with written and oral instructions including Health and Safety Regulations.

Applicants are encouraged to submit their cover letter and resume quoting **Job Competition No. 2020-011** no later than **July 31st, 2020** by regular mail or email to:

Shelly Zubyck
Director of Corporate Services
P.O. Box 2050
Haileybury, Ontario P0J 1K0
szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

We appreciate the interest of all applicants however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted. The Corporation of the City of Temiskaming Shores is an equal opportunity employer that provides equality of opportunity for employment without discrimination, consistent with The Ontario Human Rights Code and the candidate's ability to successfully perform the duties of the job.

Sharrows

What are Sharrows?

A bicycle sharrow, two chevrons painted above a bicycle symbol on the road,



indicates the lane is shared by both bicyclists and motorists.

Vehicle and bicycle traffic may be in the lane. Remember sharrows do not mean that the indicated space is exclusively for bicyclists.

Bicyclists

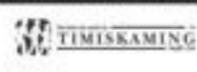
Bicyclists should "take the lane" by riding closer to the middle of the lane to reduce the risk of vehicles passing too closely.

Motorists

Sharrows closer to the middle of the lane remind you that it is unsafe to drive side-by-side with bicyclists. When bicyclists claim the lane, be patient and share the road.



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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Provincial Offences Court will be closed to the public effective March 23, 2020.

Should you require assistance call our office at 705-672-3221, or email poa@temiskamingshores.ca. Our staff is working and available to assist you.

If you wish to pay your fines, you can email your payment information to poa@temiskamingshores.ca indicating your credit card information and expiry date and a note giving us authorization to process your payment. Payments can also be faxed to 705-672-3200. To further assist there is a drop box at the building's front entrance at City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury, Ontario. At this time we are not accepting cash payments. If you currently have a suspended driver's license, your fine can be paid at Service Ontario located at 280 Armstrong Street, New Liskeard, Ontario or 10 Government Road East, Kirkland Lake, Ontario or pay online at serviceontario.ca

If you are dropping off Extension of Time to Pay forms or Reopening documents, these can be left in our drop box located at city hall. There is an Order made by the Chief Justice pursuant to s. 85 extending timelines for applying for reopenings (s.11), when a fine is due (s. 66) and when a fine goes into default (s. 69). Unless your matters went into default prior to March 16, 2020, the applications are not considered urgent.

Courts are cancelled until **September 11, 2020**. Please do not attend city hall or Northern College in Kirkland Lake for your court dates. You will be advised of your next court date in writing.



He was tired but decided to have one last cigarette before going to bed.

He fell asleep. The cigarette didn't.



A message from your local fire department and the Ontario Fire & Life Safety Educators

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NATURE'S SOUND

The loon's haunting call floating across a northern lake is probably the most Canadian sound there is and one of nature's most beautiful sounds. (Photo submission by Sue Nielsen)

Field of dreams

Remember as a kid when you used the empty lot at the end of the street for baseball games?

There were no cleats, no face-masks, no shin pads, and no chest protectors available to us back then.

Often times we used a stick for a bat or an old beat up heavy wooden bat that gave your hand splinters when you swung it.

You knew it when a hit ball met up with your shinbone that's for sure.

Remember how you broke in a new glove? I had this one favourite glove that I used for years. It was a black Cooper diamond infielders left-handed beauty. I loved that glove. I oiled it regularly and placed a ball inside tying a string around it to form a good solid pocket.

For years I actually wore a right-handed glove.

Caught plenty of fly balls with it and snagged many a hot grounder too.

Few connections are deeper than the bond between a baseball player and their glove.

If you're a samurai, it's your sword.

We even used pieces of cardboard for bases or sometimes rocks.

Can you imagine using rocks for bases nowadays for kid's sports in this litigious world we live in.

Of course, being from Cobalt, rocks sufficed for our meagre sporting needs.

And we aren't even talking about the slimes, where we played on the grey coloured mine tailings.

We survived, we often thrived and loved learning the game of ball in such a simple and natural way.



Sue Nielsen

They say learning to play ball develops eye-tracking skills and hand-eye coordination, which is vital for reading.

We had epic days of play as kids without the screens. The only screen we had was on our backstop.

Fast forward to the Toronto Blue Jays and their disdain for having to use the minor league Sahlen Field in Buffalo, New York, for their new 60-game season.

They won't have the hot tubs, elite gyms, massage therapists, barber shop, jumbo flat screen TVs, mood lighting, batting cages and other amenities they've enjoyed as professionals.

Many of those players grew up playing in empty lots with sticks for bats. Any field can turn into a field of dreams where a shiny championship trophy can be hoisted.

Would it be our Canadian "field of dreams" to see that shiny trophy make its way home this year?

After a baby came along and I took on other priorities, baseball seemed to fade into the background of my life. But in the back of my mind I know I still have a ball glove somewhere in the house with a ball placed in the pocket tied up with a string.

EDITORIAL

Bud Colquhoun

Englehart Echoes was a weekly column that appeared in The Temiskaming Speaker for many years.

It was authored by our voluntary columnist, James (Bud) Colquhoun of Englehart.

Bud's health had failed him this last little while and unfortunately he passed away last week in Englehart.

Bud and his wife Gwen were actively engaged in their community over the years.

Bud had established a real following with his weekly offerings on life in and around Englehart.

He was an old fashioned writer in the sense he didn't use a computer to write his columns and he hand delivered them to The Speaker, where he would often head upstairs to the editorial department for a chat about this and that.

It wasn't often a quick chat either

because Bud loved to talk.

But as the years eventually caught up to him, and particularly after his wife Gwen died, his trips up the stairs became slower and fewer in number.

It became instantly clear to our readers that Mr. Colquhoun had a keen eye for observation and a somewhat, at times, controversial one as well.

Our readers over the years may have observed that writing came somewhat easy to Bud as he enjoyed talking about his days as a former Ministry of Natural Resources employee and he often took on topics that were popular and widely talked about.

Bud was a keen chronicler of his community and his world was the Englehart area.

On behalf of The Speaker, we offer our condolences to all who knew Mr. Colquhoun.

August long weekend

The summer sure has flown by quickly and already we are about to celebrate the August long weekend.

This is the long weekend where friends and families gather around campfires at cottages or campgrounds to enjoy a sky full of stars, swimming, roasting tasty smores over the fire and swatting mosquitoes away.

Hopefully the bugs won't be too bad this long weekend.

Remember to physically distance, wear a mask, wash your hands and have fun.

The Temiskaming Speaker and The Weekender wish everyone a safe, healthy and enjoyable long weekend.

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Federal health officer encourages physical distancing

(The following statement was released July 29 by Dr. Theresa Tam, Canada's Chief Public Health Officer)

There have been 114,994 cases of COVID-19 in Canada, including 8,912 deaths. Eighty-seven per cent of people have now recovered. Labs across Canada have tested 3,899,000 people for COVID-19 to date. Over the past week, an average of 40,665 people were tested daily, with about one per cent testing positive and an average of 471 cases being reported daily from across the country.

Physical distancing - practiced by maintaining a two-metre distance from people outside of your bubble - is one of the most effective ways to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Nevertheless, I recognize that physical distancing is not without challenges, both socially as well as practically, especially at certain times and in certain settings.

While there are ways we can stay socially connected, including by expanding and enriching our virtual connections, we also need to remember that physical distancing is not enough protection on its own when we are in closed spaces, crowded spaces or in close contact with people outside of our social bubble. In these situations, whether indoors or outdoors, we need an additional layer of protection by wearing a non-medical mask or face covering.

All these layers of protection and physical distancing can leave us all feeling a bit of what's been described as "COVID-fatigue." For many, there are emotional and psychological implications of staying physically apart from others that can lead to feelings of loneliness and social isolation. To address this, remember that you can practice physical distancing, but still be social. I urge everyone to continue reaching

out by various means, including virtually and especially support those living alone or away from family members or loved ones. This is an opportunity for younger Canadians and others who are familiar with social media and virtual platforms to reach out and help others in your family or community who may not be as tech savvy.

If you or someone you care about are experiencing social, mental or emotional challenges associated with the difficulties and pressures of the COVID-19 pandemic, help is available. Please visit the Wellness Together Portal to connect to mental health and substance use support, resources and counselling with a mental health professional.

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All garbage deposited at the Municipal Waste Site is subject to applicable tipping fees.

Garbage: A maximum of three (3) regular sized garbage bags will be picked-up weekly.

Recycling: Next collection date is Tuesday, July 28, 2020. Reminder to residents - All recyclable material must be bagged in clear bags (30"X 32"), with the exception of cardboard.

Municipal Office: The Township has enhanced sanitation practices and increased the frequency of cleansing our facility. The municipal office has reopened to the public for in-person transactions. Physical distancing is in operation so upon arrival ring the door bell for service; there will be a maximum of one person (visitor) at any one time (some exceptions apply). Before coming into the office, please screen yourself, by asking the following questions:

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2. Have you been in close contact with someone who is sick or has confirmed COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
3. Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the past 14 days?

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Please minimize non-essential in-person visits to the office, and the Township continues to encourage the use of internet payments through your financial institution, or by mailing cheques to the Municipal office.

Building Permits are required for all construction in the Township of Coleman. Please allow sufficient processing time for your application.

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Coleman Fire Department: In Case of Fire Emergency - Please Call 911

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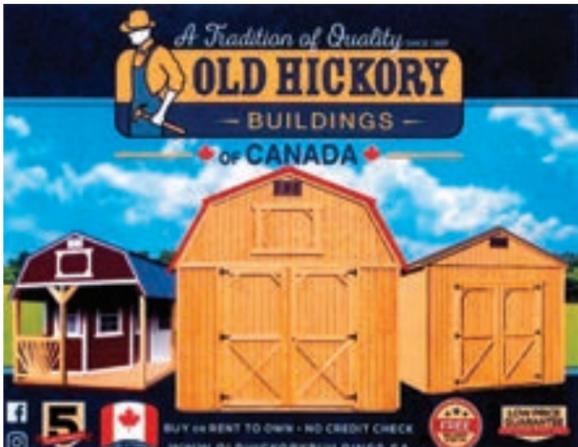
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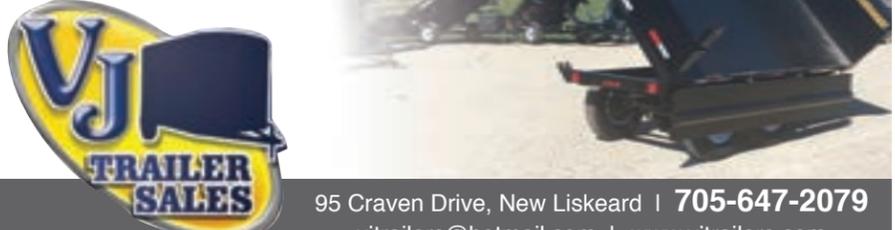
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Juniors acing it at the New Liske



A long line of Junior golfers hit balls on the driving range at the NLGC last Wednesday. Under the tutelage of Christian Ethier and Mike Bonnah, the youth are learning to play the game of golf. The annual Junior program is enjoying a big boost in the number of participants this summer. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

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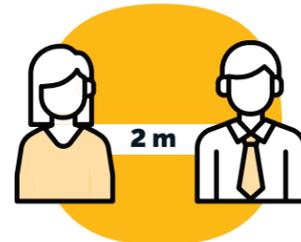
ard Golf Club



Junior golfers learning the basics of the game of golf on July 22 at the New Liskeard Golf Club are, clockwise from the top, six-year-old Jack Maga, putting a tee in the ground is Olivia Rivard, 4, Lilly Maga, also 4, is all smiles, and instructor Christian Ethier with five-year-old Ben Roy. (Staff photos by Sue Nielsen)



As more businesses and services reopen, we must all continue our efforts to protect each other.



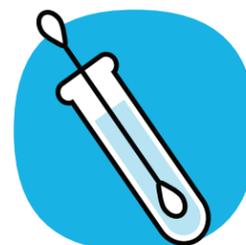
Continue to practice physical distancing, stay two metres apart even in gatherings.



Wear a face covering where physical distancing is a challenge or where required.



Continue to **wash hands frequently**.



Get tested if you are worried you may have COVID-19, or have been exposed to the virus.

Inside or out, stay safe. Save lives.

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ACROSS

1. Deeds
5. Passe
8. Trim
12. Newborn horse
13. Pair
14. Tug-of-war need
15. Fast-food order: 2 wds.
16. Omelet ingredient
17. Computer operator
18. Sheriff's group
20. Transmitted
21. Kitchen gadget
24. Volcanic residue
26. Smashing serve
27. Cancel a space launch
30. Pig's digs
33. Lodging place
34. More authentic
35. Be in hock
36. Allow
37. Exceed
38. Prevail
39. Footed vase
40. Male monarchs
42. Flutter
45. Went astray
48. Daiquiri ingredient
49. English beverage
50. Molten rock
54. Chef's appliance
55. Five and five
56. Watched carefully
57. Await judgment
58. Moose's cousin
59. Hollow stalk

DOWN

1. Fore-and-_____
2. Bird sound
3. Schoolyard game
4. Skiing hill
5. Certain poems
6. Hauls
7. Worn: hyph.
8. Infatuation
9. Pink wine
10. Public
11. Brash
19. Speaker
21. Jack's tote
22. Teen affliction
23. Monthly expense
25. Golf shot
28. Dark-haired
29. Away from home
30. Planted
31. Branch offshoot
32. Appetites
39. Capsize
41. Loafer
42. Broadway bust
43. Abide
44. Pulpit word
46. Spool of film
47. Soldier's standing
51. Yes vote
52. Neckline style
53. Total up

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Answers For Crossword on 13

Due to an error in the Temiskaming Speaker July 29 . This the correct Puzzle, We apologize for the inconvenience.

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How to play:

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3 x 3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9 only once. Each 3 x 3 box is outlined with a darker line. You already have a few numbers to get you started. Remember: you must not repeat the numbers 1 through 9 in the same line, column or 3 x 3 box.

Answers on 13

Horoscopes

CAPRICORN

After a hectic and stressful few weeks, you deserve to dedicate some time to self care. Treat yourself to a spa day and remember to enjoy the present moment.



December 22 - January 19

AQUARIUS

You'll have the opportunity to let loose this week. If you're heading back to work, you'll need to be organized and create a schedule to get back on track.



January 20 - February 18

PISCES

You'll be surrounded by people and have the chance to be more outgoing. You'll likely cap off your vacation by hosting a huge party for your family and friends.



February 19 - March 20

ARIES

If you have young children, preparations will begin this week for the new school year. If you don't, you'll find yourself helping a loved one get organized.



March 21 - April 19

TAURUS

You'll want to reinvigorate your social life, but work and other obligations hold you back. Tackling your responsibilities before having fun will lift a weight off your shoulders.



April 20 - May 20

GEMINI

Regardless of whether or not you're on vacation this week, you'll start planning your next getaway. You'll also take the time to explore nearby places and get some fresh air.



May 21 - June 21

CANCER

You'll feel overly emotional and vulnerable for a while, but you'll soon have the opportunity to celebrate your renewed happiness. Remember, smile and the world smiles with you.



June 22 - July 22

LEO

You'll be annoyed that a situation is consuming a lot of your free time. You'll need to take steps to avoid miscommunications and ensure that others understand you better in the future.



July 23 - August 22

VIRGO

Work will keep you busy this week. You'll be reminded that it's important to plan quality time with your partner and loved ones. Seek balance in all aspects of your life.



August 23 - September 22

LIBRA

You'll be surprised to discover changes at work when you return from your vacation. You might even be offered a leadership role or a promotion following the departure of a colleague.



September 23 - October 22

SCORPIO

You'll throw yourself into several projects around the house. You might even decide to update your entire home. You'll find you have a knack for using your hands, and you'll be proud of the results.



October 23 - November 21

SAGITTARIUS

Shopping will be the highlight of your week. You'll be on the lookout for sales and make some great purchases. You might also stumble upon a valuable antique in your parents' attic or basement.



November 22 - December 21

Englehart, KL hospitals relax visitor restrictions

Diane Johnston
Speaker Reporter

ENGLEHART – The doors are opening a little wider at hospitals in Englehart and Kirkland Lake.

After more than three months of restricting visitors to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission, the two hospitals recently announced a designated visitor policy.

Designated individuals can now visit in-patients on a pre-scheduled basis.

The policy permits one parent or caregiver as a designated visitor per child and two support people for patients in end-of-life and palliative care. An alternate-level-of-care (ALC) patient is permitted one support person. (ALC patients are awaiting placement in a non-hospital facility.)

The hospitals say alternative arrangements will be considered on a case-by-case basis in urgent or compassionate situations.

The hospitals outlined the policy in a news release, and stressed that precautions to safeguard against COVID-19 remain in place.

Designated visitors will be screened by phone and again in person for COVID-19 symptoms and potential risk factors.

All visitors must practise hand hygiene, maintain two-metre physical distancing, and wear a mask.

The facilities remain closed to general visitors, but compassionate and planned essential visits will continue, said Hunter Rowley, public relations coordinator/intern at the two hospitals.

As an early response to the pandemic, ALC patients at Kirkland and District Hospital were relocated to Englehart.

The move opened space at the Kirkland Lake hospital for COVID-19 patients, while making the Englehart hospital a COVID-free in-patient facility.

The relocated ALC patients

remain in Englehart, Rowley said.

In other hospital news, fees to park at Kirkland Lake hospital, as at Temiskaming Hospital,

will once again be charged. (The Englehart hospital has never implemented a paid parking system.)

Hospitals in Kirkland Lake

and New Liskeard had temporarily suspended parking fees more than three months ago as part of their pandemic response plans.

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Raising Awareness about Hepatitis

Hepatitis is an inflammation of the liver. It can be caused by viruses and can lead to serious health consequences. There are a number of different forms of the virus, but the most common types of viral hepatitis in Canada are hepatitis A, B and C all of which are contagious.

How Do You Get Hepatitis?

The **Hepatitis A Virus (HAV)** is spread through contact with the feces (poop) of an infected person either directly (person to person, including sexual activity) or indirectly through food or water that's been contaminated with the virus. Spread through infected blood or blood products has also been reported. There is no medication available to treat Hepatitis A but most people recover on their own.

The **Hepatitis B (HBV)** and **C (HCV) viruses** are spread through **contact with** contaminated blood, but Hepatitis B is also sexually transmitted. Both viruses can lead to serious liver damage, liver cancer and the need for liver transplantation. In Canada, about 600,000 people are living with Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C.

What are the Symptoms?

Not everyone who becomes infected shows symptoms. Regardless of the type of hepatitis virus infection, the symptoms are similar:

- Fever
- Jaundice (yellowing of the skin and eyes)
- Fatigue (feeling tired)
- Loss of appetite (not feeling hungry)
- Stomach pain
- Dark urine
- Nausea
- Vomiting
- Joint pain

What Can You Do To Reduce Your Risk of Infection?

- Wash your hands properly before and after preparing and eating food;
- Practise safe sex (such as using a condom);
- Do not share personal materials that may come into contact with blood (such as needles, razors, toothbrushes, nail clippers, etc.)

Changing behaviours that increase risk is key to protecting yourself from infection and to preventing the spread of infection to others.

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Gromit, the St. Bernard, and his people, Melanie Payette and Jacob Saulnier, are new to New Liskeard, and Gromit was interested in meeting as many people as he could. The trio was recently walking on the boardwalk after returning from a visit to the Riverside Farmers Market June 27. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

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BUCKE-ROO CAMPING

By Robert Ritchie

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Many of Temiskaming campgrounds have a place where you can go just to sit, read a book, draw, paint or just watch the water running in a creek or river or lake. The movement of water has a hypnotic appeal when the wind picks up gliding across the top of the waves as they curl and crash into the shoreline creating sound waves to add to the visual experience unfolding in front of you.

As campers and their visitors enter the campgrounds an urge to slow down and smell the roses takes over and take in all the wonders that Temiskaming's wilderness has to offer.

Tenting campers love the back-to-nature feeling they get surrounded by forests tucked in their natural oases with only light fabric to protect them from the wilderness elements. More and more of today's young people are tenting exploring Temiskaming and beyond in their cars and SUV's stopping at different campsites where they meet new people and explore the wilderness.

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On his BMX bike, Will Layland, 10, from Elk Lake had fun riding around the Carter Antila Memorial Skatepark July 12. The skatepark undulations are specifically designed for BMX and skateboard riders. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

Staying safe and civil on long Civic weekend

DISTRICT (Special) – As the Civic Holiday approaches, the Ontario Provincial Police are preparing for another busy weekend on highways, waterways and trails.

From July 31 through August 3, police will be focusing on the so-called Big Four – aggressive driving, impaired driving, seat-belt use, and distracted driving.

But they'll also be enforcing the "move over" law.

"With heavy traffic volumes expected throughout the province, highways and roads will see a greater presence of roadside emergency vehicles," said the OPP in a news release.

Police, firefighters and ambulances "respond to calls daily and drivers need to do their part to assist in emergency workers getting

to their destinations."

Police urge drivers to slow down and move over when they spot emergency vehicles, including tow trucks, with their lights flashing.

If the emergency vehicle is stopped on your side of the highway, "slow down and pass with caution. If the road has two or more lanes, move over, to allow for emergency vehicles to pass safely."

A conviction for infractions of the law can carry a fine ranging from \$400 to \$2,000 and three demerit points.

But police say the cost can be far greater for police officers, other responders and drivers of approaching vehicles who are involved in roadside collisions every year.

A plea for caution on the long weekend is also coming from Ontario Power Generation (OPG).

"Whether you're boating, swimming or fishing, conditions can change rapidly," said Mike Martelli, OPG's president of renewable generation, in a statement.

OPG operates 66 hydroelectric stations and 24 river systems throughout Ontario.

It advises that waterways near its facilities are not safe places for recreation. Still, people ignore its signs and barriers.

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It's urging the public to "stay clear, stay safe, stay distanced" on the long weekend.

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COMING EVENTS

ATTENTION STUDENT- The Englehart and District Historical Society is once again sponsoring the Youth Garden competition. This competition is open to all students from JK to OAC. There will be information posted on the Face Book page of the Englehart and District Horticultural Society and on the Society's website engleharthort.weebly.com as well. You can also call Ms. Warner at 544-8916 or Mrs. Fisher at 544-8074 for more information. Remember, this is open to all student in Englehart and the surrounding townships.

FREE FOOD EVERY FRIDAY- At the Good Sheperd Church in Englehart on 2nd Ave. Given by the Home Front Mission from 8 a.m. til 4 p.m. Service is set up like a drive through type style to minimize contact. For more information call 705-544-8339.

The Literacy Council of South Temiskaming will be holding its **Annual General Meeting** on **September 1, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.** via Zoom. The meeting is open to the public and all are welcome to attend. For more information, please call Sue at 705-647-4040.

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Weekly Masses are live-streamed at <https://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL/> Tuesday to Saturdays at 4:15PM.

Sunday Mass is live-streamed at <https://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL/> on Sundays at 11AM.

OMPH IS NOW ON FACEBOOK:

Check our new facebook page at [facebook.com/OMPH.NL](https://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL) and stay up to date on the latest happenings in the <http://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NLParish>.

WEEKLY OMPH E-BULLETIN:

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PARISH WEBSITE: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish has updated its parish website. It contains information about the Parish, the weekly bulletin and a host of other useful information and links.

Check out the website at www.ourmotherofperpetualhelp.ca

CHURCH CLOSURES

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Church of St. Paul & St. John, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church are closed until further notice.

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Salvation Army Church is Closed until further notice

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First Baptist Church is Closed until further notice but will be available to call if needed 705-647-5026.

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The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is Closed until further notice.

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St. Paul's United Church & Hillview Pioneer Memorial Church are closed until further notice. Worship will be available through Live feed on their Facebook page United Churches of New Liskeard: St Paul's.

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OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELPS SUNDAY MASSES will be on Sundays at 9AM and 11AM. Registration is required to attend these Masses. To register call the parish office at 705-647-5035 on Wednesdays from 9AM to 12PM and 1PM to 4:30PM. Sunday Mass will continue to be live on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL/>

ST.PATRICKS PARISH IN COBALT will have weekend Mass on Saturdays at 5PM. Parishioners will be welcomed on a first come first serve basis.

MARRIAGE COUNSELING - Love for a Lifetime a free service of the church of Christ online at www.bibletalk.tv with Mike Mazzalongo. If you do not have access to internet and want to check it out call Mike or Judy Tinney at 705-569-2572.

WEEKLY OMPH E-BULLETIN If you would like to receive the weekly e-bulletin from Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish please e-mail omphoffice@gmail.com. Stay in touch with all the latest news and events on a weekly basis.

GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH OF ENGLEHART will be meeting every Sunday morning at 10:30am. We invite you to our worship services or our weekly bible studies and prayer meetings. We offer ministries for children, Jr. and Sr. High groups and monthly fellowships. Please contact Pastor Steve Crosby at 705-544-8339 or visit goodshepherdenglehart.yolasite.com

TOMSTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WILL WORSHIP AT 10:00 A.M. ON THE 3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH BEGINNING JULY 19th UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. UPDATES MAY BE FOUND ON FACEBOOK: TOMSTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

OWE NOTHING TO ANYONE except to love one another for he who loves his neighbour, has fulfilled the law... Love does no harm to a neighbour, therefore love is the fulfillment of the law. Romans 13:8;10. Free bible lessons online at www.bibletalk.tv or call Mike or Judy Tinney at 705-569-2572 church of Christ.

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH invites all to come & worship Saturday morning at 453 Marcella St in Haileybury. 705-242-4848. Officiating Pastor Ivan Uriegas. Study time is 10am and divine service at 11am. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 5:30 pm. Everyone is Welcome.

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PAROISSE SAINTE-CROIX SUR FACEBOOK: Consultez notre page Facebook sur [facebook.com/Paroisse-Ste-Croix](https://www.facebook.com/Paroisse-Ste-Croix) et restez au courant des derniers événements de notre paroisse catholique.

PAROISSE SACRÉ-COEUR CATHOLIQUE DE NEW LISKEARD – Nous sommes heureux de vous accueillir pour les messes dominicales les samedis à 16 h et les dimanches à 10 h. Nous offrons aussi la messe le mardi, mercredi, jeudi et vendredi de chaque semaine à 9 h à l'exception du 4emardi de chaque mois. Cette messe a lieu à 19 h. L'église et notre bureau sont situés au 116 Dymond Cres. Certaines adaptations et modifications ont été mises en place pour la protection de toutes et tous. Pour autres informations composez le 705 647-5045 ou par courriel apsacrecoeur@personainternet.com. Pour le bulletin de la semaine consultez notre page Facebook ([facebook.com/Paroisse-Sacre-Coeur](https://www.facebook.com/Paroisse-Sacre-Coeur)).

Communiqué de PRESSE 11 juin 2020 Le diocèse catholique de Timmins se réjouit grandement de l'annonce faite par le Premier ministre de l'Ontario sur l'ouverture des églises le 12 juin prochain. Les prêtres et le personnel des paroisses ont reçu à cet égard un Protocole diocésain qui vise à assurer un environnement sécuritaire pour les fidèles, à respecter la dignité des célébrations liturgiques. Les messes dominicales reprendront les 20 et 21 juin. Les fidèles peuvent s'adresser à leur paroisse pour connaître les modalités d'accès à l'église. Press Release June 11, 2020 The Roman Catholic Diocese of Timmins is very pleased with the announcement by the Premier of Ontario regarding the reopening of churches beginning on June 12. Priests and parish staff have received in this regard the approved Diocesan Protocol which aims to ensure a safe environment for the faithful as well as the respectful celebration of the liturgy. Sunday masses will begin on June 20-21. The faithful can contact their parish for the timetable of the celebrations.

ÉGLISE CATHOLIQUE SAINTE CROIX de Haileybury est maintenant ouverte pour les messes à 30% de la capacité de l'église. Tout en respectant les conditions sanitaires exigées par le gouvernement d'Ontario ainsi que les directives diocésaines, nous vous invitons à nos célébrations dominicales samedi à 19h (7h) et dimanche à 10h et durant la semaine le mardi à 16h30 (4h30) et le mercredi, jeudi et vendredi à 9h30. L'église Sainte Croix est située à 341 Sutherland Way, Haileybury – 705-672-3296. Bienvenue à tous!

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