



ONE MORE TAP-IN

Taking advantage of some mild weather October 17, John Gauvreau lined up his putt and gently tapped it into the hole during a round at the New Liskeard Golf Club. (Staff photo by Jamie Mountain, LJ1 reporter)

Speeding along

Police ramping up traffic patrols

Darlene Wroe
Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES - A concern about drivers speeding on Lakeshore Road (Highway 11B) between New Liskeard and Haileybury in Temiskaming Shores has resulted in an increased presence on the road by officers of the Ontario Provincial Police.

At the Temiskaming Shores Police Services Board meeting held Monday, October 19, OPP Temiskaming Detachment Inspector Joel Breault said officers have increased time spent enforcing the speed on Highway 11B after concerns expressed about the traffic.

He said several warnings and provincial offences notices have been issued. He noted that one person was stopped after travelling 121 kilometres an hour in an 80 kilometre an hour zone.

Breault said there are traffic related concerns being expressed from throughout the region.

He noted that the Town of Latchford has recently installed stop signs in order to slow traffic.

The Englehart area police board has also brought concerns to the attention of the detachment.

Speeding is "an ongoing issue," he said, but what is occurring in the towns is "no different than the traffic on Highway 11. We are focusing our resources on the entire area," he said.

Temiskaming Shores Councillor Danny Whalen, who sits on the police services board, expressed strong concern about traffic violations within the city. He said Whitewood Avenue has become "a racing strip" where there are "four U-turns a day."

He also expressed concern about Nipissing Avenue where there is a hill over which drivers can't see and he's worried that there will someday be a serious accident there, and it will be the city that will have to carry the responsibility.

Breault suggested the ideal solution would be to erect a speed sign with radar patrol to identify drivers who are speeding.

He said he will continue to request that officers focus their patrols for speeding drivers.

DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?

Here are some of the stories in our October 21 edition...

- Remembrance Day services will look markedly different around the district this year due to concerns over COVID-19.
- Local Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Constable Jennifer Landry is being remembered as a "wonderful teammate" following her tragic passing.
- Police are continuing to investigate the homicide/suicide of two Temiskaming Shores seniors.
- A fund has been established by The Temiskaming Foundation (TTF) to honour former Cobalt Mayor Tina Sartoretto.
- Red Sky Performance founder Sandra Laronde was recently honoured with the Toronto Arts Foundation's Celebration of Cultural Life Award.
- Nora Visser of Harley Township was presented with the "Righteous Among the Nations" award by the Consulate General of Israel in Toronto and Western Canada and the Canadian Society for Yad Vashem.
- The Temiskaming Health Unit says Temiskaming has the lowest number of COVID-19 cases across the province.
- The Tri-Town Ski and Snowboard Village (TTSSV) in Lorraine Township is getting ready for the season ahead with COVID in mind.
- Englehart council has decided that youths will need to be accompanied by a parent/guardian while using the gym.
- The Bassin' for Kids tourney continued to reel in the funds despite not being able to fish.



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Keeping seniors connected

DISTRICT (Staff) - Timiskaming Home Support has a program that is helping seniors stay connected during the

COVID-19 pandemic.

Seniors Centres Without Walls - Staying Connected is a program that Timiskaming Home Support is providing to seniors from Temagami to Kirkland Lake, says adult daytime lead Melanie McLean.

McLean leads telephone conferences with seniors who have registered for the program, and each session usually has between 20 to 40 people listening in, or joining in for discussion.

There are currently about 150 participants, and room for more. If anyone is interested, they can call Timiskaming Home Support to become part of the free program.

McLean says there are usually two sessions a day, with a three-month program set out in advance so people can know what will be offered at certain

times, and whether they would like to join in.

For those who need assistance with their telephone, McLean will call them at the beginning of the session to bring them in to the conference-style meeting. Others who are able can call in themselves.

People can choose whether they would like to participate depending on the type of programming that is taking place for that session. McLean notes seniors have an opportunity to tell her in advance what kind of programming would interest them.

"We do exercise, we do music, we do trivia, we do games," she outlined.

While McLean leads, participants eventually join in to the discussions taking place.

"We interact all together, all

depending on what we're doing and what they're interested in."

The program was originally started as a pilot before the COVID-19 pandemic occurred, McLean outlined. The pilot program received funding from the provincial government, but now is funded through Timiskaming Home Support which has adopted it as part of its adult day program.

The program was initiated in Ottawa and now is being used across the province to bring seniors together. McLean said she was able to help many of the other centres get their own programs started.

The program is now being picked up across the country.

"Due to COVID, you find it a lot more," said McLean.

To participate, a senior only needs a telephone. While a hands-free speaker feature would be helpful, it is not a must, McLean noted.

Participants "just listen in and then, if they feel like interacting they eventually join in and take part. The interaction is really great."

Operation Impact tallies 41 charges

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) – Traffic enforcement on Thanksgiving weekend resulted in more than 40 charges in the South Temiskaming area.

The safety initiative, known as Operation Impact, was conducted by the Temiskaming OPP from October 9 through 12.

Police laid 38 charges for speeding as well as three for other moving violations.

The annual fall blitz focused this year on speeding and aggressive driving, impaired driving, distracted driving, and failure to use appropriate seatbelts and child restraints.

Police say the four behaviours are the leading reasons for a significant loss of life on roads every year.

Over the long weekend, Temiskaming OPP officers also responded to 113 calls for service.

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Flu vaccine will be available in-office by appointment as of November 23rd, 2020 by calling the Timiskaming Health Unit at 1-866-747-4305.

Please note: For those 65 and older, ask your pharmacist or health care provider about the **high dose flu vaccine**. It will not be available at the community flu clinics.


If you are unwell, please do not attend.

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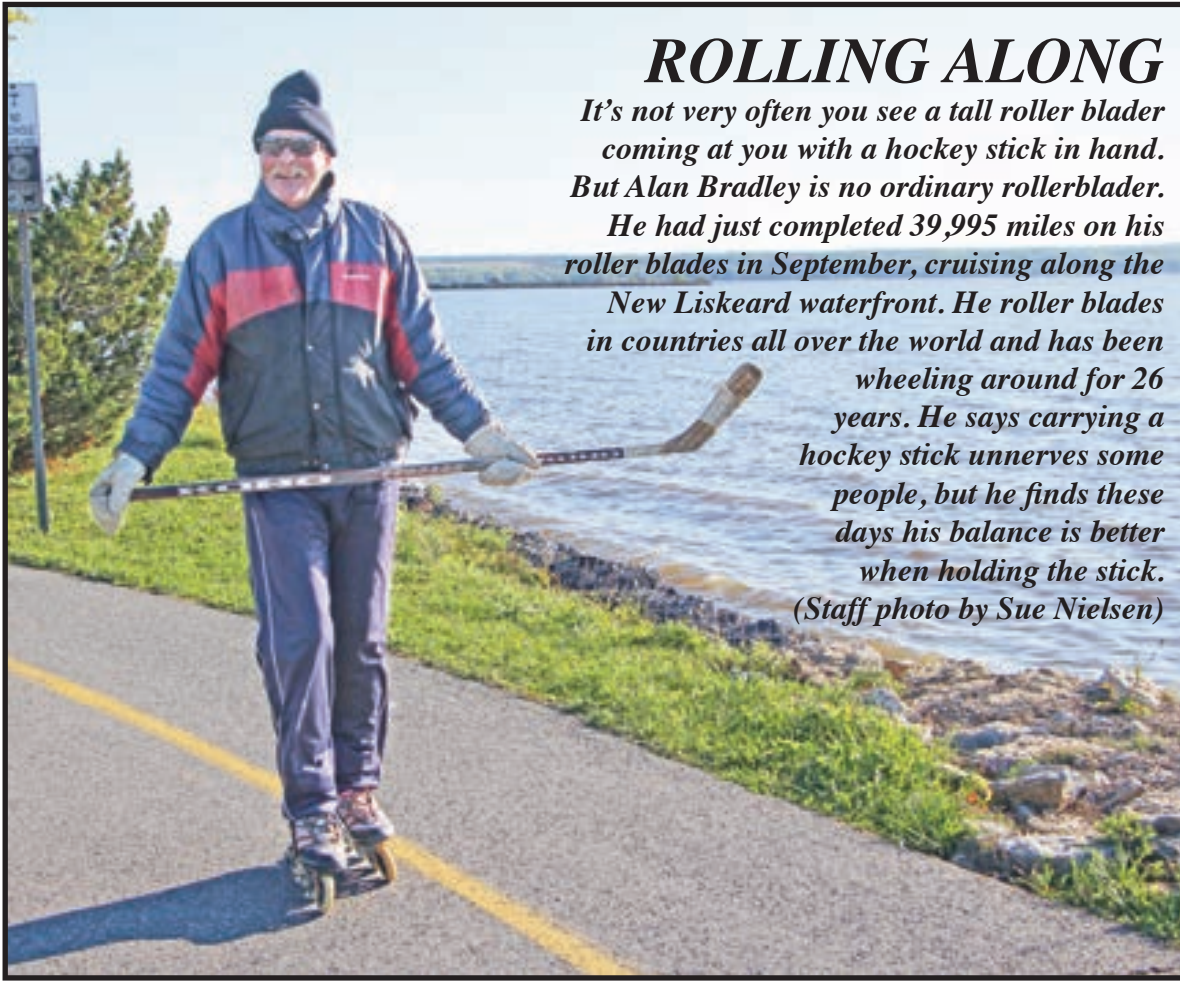
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ROLLING ALONG

It's not very often you see a tall roller blader coming at you with a hockey stick in hand. But Alan Bradley is no ordinary rollerblader. He had just completed 39,995 miles on his roller blades in September, cruising along the New Liskeard waterfront. He roller blades in countries all over the world and has been wheeling around for 26 years. He says carrying a hockey stick unnerves some people, but he finds these days his balance is better when holding the stick.

(Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

OPP remind motorists to practice safe winter driving

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff) — Winter is just around the corner, as are winter driving conditions.

The OPP reminds drivers to practise safe driving habits as snow and freezing temperatures can create some hazardous driving conditions.

Motorists are reminded to clear all snow off their vehicles and to ensure visibility in all directions before heading onto area roadways. A buildup of snow on a vehicle and foggy or iced-over windshields or windows can greatly reduce visibility and cause traffic hazards for other motorists. The Temiskaming Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) reminds drivers it is their responsibility to take the time to properly clean off their vehicles and ensure a clear view out of all windows and the windshield. Failing to do so can result in a fine of \$110.

Drivers can do a few simple things to reduce the risk of collisions by:

- Giving yourself a little extra time to reach your destination as traffic will be slower.
- Ensure that you have completely brushed the snow and ice off your vehicle to allow a clear view of the roadway, this includes headlights and tail-lights.
- Check your windshield wiper fluid levels and pack an extra container in your car.
- Drive according to weather conditions - reduce your speed and increase your following distance to ensure you can stop safely if needed. Speeding too fast for conditions is the most common cause of winter collisions.
- Accelerate slowly and brake sooner to avoid spinouts, espe-

cially at intersections.

- Check the weather forecast - it may be better to stay home.
- Be a sober driver - Arrive

Alive.

For more winter driving safety tips visit the Ontario Ministry of Transportation website.

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Tips to Avoid Seasonal Depression

Many people feel a little sad when summer comes to an end and a long season of cold weather is approaching. Seasonal depression or seasonal affective disorder (otherwise known as SAD) is a type of depression that happens at certain times of the year, usually in the fall and winter.

The symptoms of SAD:

- Depressed mood
- Negative thoughts
- Fatigue
- Hypersomnia (Sleeping too much)
- Increased intake of carbohydrates/weight gain
- Social withdrawal/hibernating

There are a few things you can do to prevent SAD from getting worse and make yourself feel better.

Get Plenty of Exercise

Exercise not only helps to improve your physical health and reduce your risks for a number of chronic diseases, but it's been shown to be a great mood booster.

Try Light Therapy

This has been tested as an effective treatment for SAD because it tricks the body into thinking the days are longer and brighter than they really are. It involves sitting under a special bright light for a certain amount of time each day. You could ask your health care provider about this or just try to get as much sunlight as you can outdoors every day (20 to 30 minutes a day as a minimum) and keep your curtains and blinds open to let the light in.

Socialize (within public health guidelines)

A common treatment for depression is to engage in social activities and spend time with friends or family. Unfortunately, being able to do this is limited right now due to social distancing guidelines, but you can make the most out of virtual interactions and spending time with a small group or circle (bubble) of trusted people who all agree on safety best practices.

If you think you're experiencing SAD and it's affecting your ability to get through your day, focus on work and maintain relationships, you should follow up with your primary care provider. If you're a patient of the Temagami Family Health Team and would like to borrow our SAD light, please call the office at (705) 569-3244 to make arrangements.

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EDITORIAL

Gone too soon

It came as a shock to so many. The news of a Temiskaming Detachment Ontario Provincial Police officer, Constable Jennifer Landry, who died in an off-duty hunting rifle incident on October 13 in Kirkland Lake.

We would like to express our

sincere condolences to the Temiskaming OPP and the family and friends of Constable Landry. She will be remembered as a cherished colleague, mother, sister, daughter and friend.

For all intents and purposes, the outpouring of condolences

for Constable Landry rings with admiration and pride.

We take this opportunity to thank Constable Landry and all the police and emergency personnel who put their lives on the line on a daily basis working to keep us safe and secure.

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Lake lockdown

It was a lake so still I could hear myself breathing. Not even the birds were making sounds or moving on this glorious morning.

It seems to me at that moment in time, stillness, peace and calm are more valuable to me than motion and noise.

And the noise of the world has become unbearable at times.

I feel much more enriched by the stillness around me where I can sit back, lay my paddle down and appreciate what the natural world has to offer, especially its rejuvenating qualities.

In this stillness on the lake I am part of the here and now and I am grateful.

I am not thinking about tomorrow or yesterday, only

here and now, as I smell the musty, pungent aroma of the trees along the shoreline.

Isn't it time we stopped the glorification of busy, the rush, rush gotta get things done, the constant be better, do better, I am not good enough mindset?

We know there's evidence the benefits of nature on mental and physical health are many. If you spend 90 minutes of your day outside in a wooded area, there will be a decrease of activity in the part of your brain typically associated with depression.

One thing we must avoid is a lockdown of how we view our humanity, a lockdown of the wonder of this world and all the goodness in it.

I noted a year ago I flew off to Scotland on a wild adventure

visiting my daughter and son-in-law in Glasgow.

Thank goodness for technology as we share visits on the internet on a regular basis.

At one point my daughter feared she had contracted the virus, but thankfully, it turned out to be a bad cold.

I found myself worrying for days on end about her cold, but thankfully I was able to get outside and to my canoe.

Air travel sure has become a thing of the past.

I just read that Canada's flight attendants have asked Ottawa to help airline workers as the industry has been hit hard by layoffs.

Without the extra financial help from our government a great deal of people would be



Sue Nielsen

much worse off.

Maybe a set of knitting needles, a book, a jigsaw puzzle, a run, and a walk are your coping mechanisms.

As John Lennon said, "Whatever gets you through your life, it's alright."

We all need to know during the last seven months we have made sacrifices social distancing, wearing masks and staying close to home. We have kept the virus at bay and probably saved lives doing it.

As I write this column we learn Temiskaming has the lowest caseload of virus infections of any region across the province. This is good news and we should all be proud!



WONDER WOMAN BIRTHDAY

On her birthday September 21, Haileybury Special Olympian Kayla Marwick ran/walked 10 kilometres along the South Temiskaming Active Travel Organization trail as part of the DC Wonder Woman Run. Her twin aunts, one living in Nova Scotia and the other in British Columbia, were also taking part in the challenge. The event went virtual this year so participants could take part in a location and time of their choosing. Marwick thought it would be fun to take part on her birthday. The idea behind the event is to encourage women to be physically active to lead healthier, happier lives, like a Wonder Woman. Since Marwick's participation in swimming has been on hold, she has been running more often. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Don't jump to conclusions

Dear editor,

I was dismayed to read the editorial *Risky actions* in the October 16 Weekender.

It detailed how the writer views those members of the population who aren't wearing masks as a precaution against COVID.

As with everything there are always two sides to a story, and the flip side of the issue was not even touched on. I'm writing in to address the other side of the issue. That would be those people who simply cannot wear a mask.

I've seen it in stores, or on the sidewalk in town. The glares. The shrinking back if someone doesn't happen to have one on. The whispers and pointing. These instances are the more subtle judgments passed.

Some individuals are not so gentle and approach these people with aggression and will

verbally attack them. Yelling and making a scene. This is not alright.

There are some members of our society with genuine medical issues who absolutely cannot wear a mask. Chronic lung diseases such as COPD, or even asthma. Some have lung damage due to other issues, medical or environmental. To put on a mask would put them in grave danger. Risking things such as oxygen deprivation, leading to shortness of breath, light-headedness, loss of consciousness, even respiratory arrest.

It doesn't take much to realize that these issues are dire for these people. They, however, still have to live just like the mask-wearing population. They could be risking their lives to wear a mask just to make other people more comfortable.

I'd like to know what it is

that makes their lives worth less than those with no issues that can wear masks when out in public.

Everyone should keep in mind that if we see someone out in a store or on the street who isn't wearing a mask - it doesn't mean they're being careless, or disregarding the rules set out. It may simply mean that they don't feel like risking their lives to make the rest of us feel more secure. Their lives are worth just as much. Don't judge these individuals.

Just worry about yourself. If you can wear a mask, great. Wear one. If you can't, though, there is probably a very good reason for that, and my prayers go out to those who aren't able to protect themselves and their loved ones as the rest of us can.

Misty Linton
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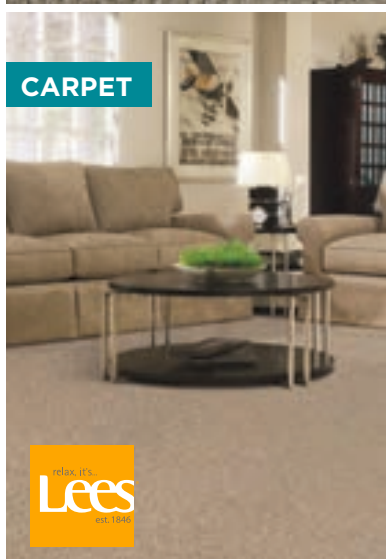


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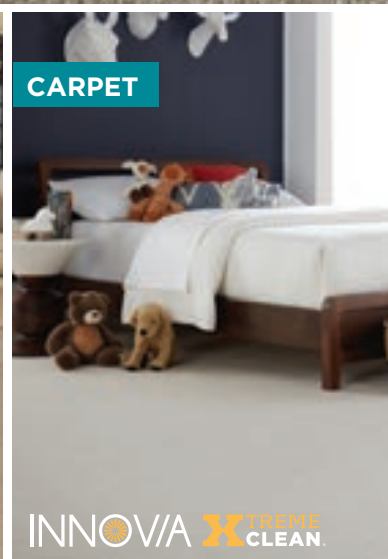




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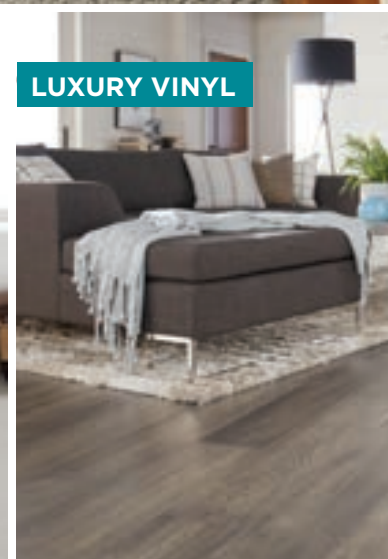
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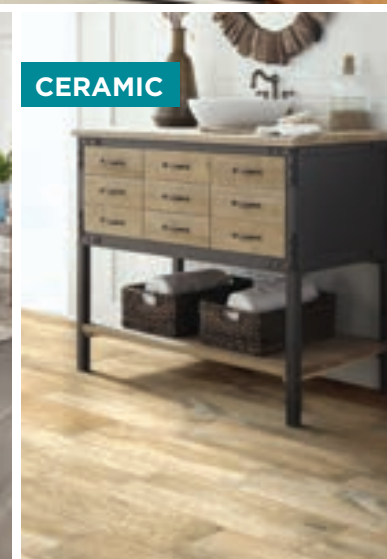
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Friday night drive-in movies coming to Temagami

By **Jamie Mountain**

Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

TEMAGAMI – In what is sure to be fun for the whole family, a pair of drive-in movie nights are happening in Temagami over the next few weeks to help celebrate Halloween.

Living Temagami – Arts and Culture, in partnership with the Temagami parks and recreation committee and the Temagami Community Market, will be holding the events on Friday, October 23, and Friday, October 30, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the parking lot of the Community Centre, located at 100 Spruce Drive.

The movie nights are free to attend, but you must pre-register by emailing livingtemagami@gmail.com.

“It is our intention to have those coming to the event to pre-register and tell us how many children will be in each vehicle,” said Living Temagami board of directors chair Dave MacDonald in an email interview.

“In this way we can control numbers and be sure all the children get treat bags. Our concern is to be sure that all COVID protocols are observed and vehicles appropriately distanced.” MacDonald said the first event will be projected onto the side of the community centre, with cars double-spaced.

“We are attempting to put cars closest to the viewing area, then vans and trucks at the rear,” he explained.

The viewing tonight (October 23) will be limited to approximately 20 vehicles, MacDonald said, “as our test and (we) will expand on the 30th, if appropriate.”

The *Addams Family* will be shown first while *Frankenweenie* is the movie slated for October 30.

MacDonald said that the municipality has established a parks and recreation committee that is encouraging membership of community groups to coordinate and collaborate on community activities.

“Living Temagami has representation on that committee,” he said.

“Living Temagami’s mission is to work in partnership with organizations in our Northeastern region on the arts and community-building events,” MacDonald explained.

“Kelly Hearn and the parks and rec staff have arranged for approval to use the outside of the community centre

building as our screen. They have really stepped up on short notice to provide protocols and washroom facilities with volunteers for the facility, so we remain in compliance (with) COVID. They arranged for permission to use the town’s Public Performance license to enable us to provide the experience. He also had to get transports that pay to park in the area to park in another location for the shows. They are also supplying the traffic cones needed, as well as fluorescent vests for parking volunteers.”

The Temagami Community Market, which Living Temagami took over the management of this summer, will be providing children who attend the movie nights with free treat bags to enjoy the shows.

MacDonald explained that Living Temagami is using the proceeds from the summer markets to pay for treats “for the kids to enjoy during the movies.

“We had a private donation for a low-range FM booster so we can transmit into the vehicles. With everyone committing to the event, we are able to offer the event at no charge to our area youth.”

MacDonald said as part of their mandate at Living Temagami, they wanted to “bring our widespread and very diverse community together to share our many passions and life experiences together in community events.

“Halloween is a time for the kids and families to join in family fun, safely, and we think the movie nights provide a great opportunity for this to take place. This should be a fun venue for families to get in the Halloween spirit.”



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ACROSS

- 1. Band's need
- 4. Wise about
- 8. Pig's dinner
- 12. Neither
- 13. Entryway
- 14. Time of day
- 15. "Tea for _____"
- 16. Finished
- 17. Monster
- 18. Flat, round objects
- 20. Overly inquisitive
- 21. Egg on
- 23. Land amid water
- 26. South-of-the-border food
- 27. Not windward
- 28. Feminine pronoun
- 31. Flips over
- 33. Man's title
- 35. Family member
- 36. Legendary Himalayan creature
- 38. Elaborate melody
- 39. Find out
- 40. Defaces
- 41. Farm measure
- 44. Strange
- 47. Housetop
- 48. Equal
- 49. "____ Hard" (Willis film)

- 52. Castle's defense
- 53. Frail
- 54. Botch
- 55. Active
- 56. Antlered animals
- 57. Fourth letter

DOWN

- 1. Hill-dwelling insect
- 2. Trim grass
- 3. Created
- 4. Gambler's concern
- 5. Cozy place
- 6. Throat part
- 7. Prospector's quest
- 8. Gleamed
- 9. NBC's peacock, e.g.
- 10. Not theirs
- 11. Hunted animal
- 19. Clothes presser
- 21. Wall component
- 22. Mama's mate
- 24. Trucker's vehicle
- 25. Luau garland
- 27. On the briny
- 28. Marooned
- 29. Descendant
- 30. Historical ages
- 32. Hair tint
- 34. Like
- 37. Globetrot
- 39. Weighty
- 41. Tentacles
- 42. Chicken's pen
- 43. Lion's sound
- 45. Pipe problem
- 46. Pens' contents
- 48. Female sheep
- 50. Rage
- 51. Before, to Shelley

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CAPRICORN

Remember to plug in your phone or computer every night. Otherwise, a dead battery could interrupt an important communication. Your children might ask you to drive them around more often than usual this week.



December 22 - January 19

AQUARIUS

While others might speak in hushed tones, you won't be afraid to voice your concerns loud and clear. If your partner makes unnecessary or expensive purchases, you won't hesitate to speak up.



January 20 - February 18

PISCES

You'll demonstrate a youthful energy this week. At work, everything will be urgent and you'll have to act quickly to avoid disaster. You'll be pleased about a promotion, despite the changes and stress that come with it.



February 19 - March 20

ARIES

A task at home or at work that you've been putting off will finally get done. Before you start a new project, get some rest. Otherwise, you could develop one or more health issues.



March 21 - April 19

TAURUS

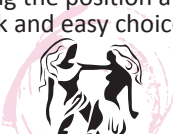
If you've been waiting to hear back about a medical test, the results will put you at ease. You'll finally be able to sleep and your anxiety will subside.



April 20 - May 20

GEMINI

You'll have a few minor personal or professional concerns to deal with. A promotion may require you to adjust your schedule, but the compensation will make taking the position a quick and easy choice.



May 21 - June 21

CANCER

Now's the time to plan a vacation for the holidays. Regardless of whether you want to travel alone or with others, you need to book early. A trip will be hard to organize if you wait until the last minute.



June 22 - July 22

LEO

You could be assigned to international clients or enrolled in a training program at work. At times, you might have trouble being understood by people who aren't fluent in English.



July 23 - August 22

VIRGO

Your focus will be on your significant other. You'll need to be more spontaneous and emotionally available if you want to rekindle the magic. Changes will be necessary to avoid conflict.



August 23 - September 22

LIBRA

You'll need to put in a lot of effort to prepare for negotiations and reach an agreement that suits everyone. Radical changes will be necessary to improve your health and quality of life.



September 23 - October 22

SCORPIO

A major success or form of recognition is on the horizon. This could lead to a promotion or a change in your career path. If you've been sick for a while, you'll finally see an improvement in your health.



October 23 - November 21

SAGITTARIUS

You might find a property that offers more than enough space for the entire family. At the very least, you'll change your daily routine to better accommodate all the members of your household.



November 22 - December 21



CITY BULLETIN

Sale of Land by Public Tender

The Corporation of the City of Temiskaming Shores

Take Notice that Tenders for the sale of the lands described below will be received until 2:00 p.m. local time, on Wednesday, November 25, 2020. The Tenders will be opened in public on the same day commencing at 2:30 p.m. via teleconference.

Property Location: 50 Whitewood Avenue

Legal Description: PLAN M22NB PT LOT 29 TO 32 PCL 1487NND

PUBLIC LIBRARY Note: The City will be retaining Lot 31 and 32

(Cenotaph lands) identified on Plan M22NB

Assessment Roll No.: 5418-010-004-03400

Minimum Tender Amount: \$200,000.00

Description of Lands:

Please see the map below for an indication of where the property is located. This map has been produced for illustrative purposes only, and is not a substitute for a legal survey.



Tenders must be submitted on the prescribed form. The City makes no representation regarding the title to, crown interests or any other matters relating to the lands to be sold. Responsibility for ascertaining these matters rests with the potential purchaser(s).

The Successful Purchaser will be required to pay the amount tendered, all costs incurred or required to acquire the subject property, and other costs to transfer the property into his/her name. The highest or any bid, not necessarily accepted.

For further information regarding this sale, for a copy of the Tender documents, and a copy of the prescribed Form of Tender, please visit the City's website at www.temiskamingshores.ca, or contact Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk at 705-672-3363, ext. 4136, or lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca.

Tenders are to be submitted in sealed envelopes marked as follows, and delivered to the address below:

Attention: Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk

City of Temiskaming Shores

P.O. Box 2050, 325 Farr Drive

Haileybury, ON P0J 1K0

Re: CS-RFT-002-2020 "Sale of Land by Public Tender – 50 Whitewood Avenue"

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Property Location: 545 LAKESHORE RD

Legal Description: PLAN M37NB PT LOTS 1,59 RP TER709 PART 2

PCL 11350,12171,11247SST LIBRARY & ART GALLERY

Assessment Roll No.: 5418-030-001-17300

Minimum Tender Amount: \$100,000.00

Description of Lands:

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Council and Committee MEETINGS

No Scheduled Committee Meetings

For further information contact Kelly Conlin
705-672-3363 Ext. 4116 or kconlin@temiskamingshores.ca

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 3, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 17, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Due to physical distancing measures during COVID-19, individuals wishing to attend Council meetings to observe the proceedings, must **pre-register** with the Clerk's Office at 705-672-3363 ext. 4136, as seating is limited. Only those individuals registered to attend the Council meeting will be permitted, and face coverings/ masks will be required. Council meetings will continue to be live-streamed.

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NOTE:

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

New Library Hours

We are excited to announce that the library is open at our new location at 285 Whitewood Ave. West in Temiskaming Shores! Patrons may come into the building to select books, movies and other library materials and to use our public access computers and our wifi connection. A facemask is required to enter the building, and visitors must sanitize their hands on entry and exit. Please remember to bring your library card with you, as it will be required in order to check out items. If you have lost your card you can purchase a replacement for \$2.00. Our new hours are:

Sundays: closed
Mondays: 10-4; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays: 10-8; Fridays: 10-4; Saturdays: 10-4

Ontario Public Library Week, October 19-24

Celebrate Ontario Public Library Week by picking up a Free Halloween Craft Kit and taking part in our Storywalk! The Storywalk will be posted in the windows of the library building. Walk around the exterior of the building and find out what happens next in the story! The take-home Halloween craft kit is suitable for children aged 3 to 10 and can be picked up during open hours. First come, first served while supplies last! We'd love to see your finished craft--Send your photo to NewLiskeard@temisklibrary.com and we will post it on Facebook and Instagram!

Gadget Helper

Our Gadget Helper program is up and running again! These are free 45-minute one-on-one sessions to help people who have questions about their mobile devices or social media. We are booking times on Thursdays during the day. We do require that patrons wear a facemask and sanitize their hands when attending sessions. Please call 705-647-4215 for more information.

Public Access Computers

The library has three public access computers available at this time. Please book in advance to use our public access computers by calling the library at 705-647-4215 or stopping in. Sessions are limited to 30 minutes and it is mandatory to wear a facemask and sanitize your hands while using the computers. Printouts are \$.50/page and there is a scanner available.

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Microfilm Reader

Our new microfilm reader is now installed and available for use. Please call the library for more information and to book time to use it!

Age Friendly October 22-30th

Thursday's - Pickleball 12:30-2:30pm FREE at New Liskeard Tennis courts, if poor weather then at the New Liskeard Community Hall.

Friday's: Ladies Pickleball 8:45am FREE, equipment provided, New Liskeard Community Hall. **-Swimming** 12-1:15pm \$4, Pool & Fitness Centre.

Monday's - Ladies Pickleball 8:45-10:15am Community Hall and **Intra to Line Dancing** registration required 10:30 am, NL Community Hall. New 6-week session starts November 2nd.

Tuesday October 27th Coffee Hour 10:30am FREE Riverside Place, join us for free coffee from Chat Noir and listen to a presenter from Temiskaming Home Support. **Pickleball** 8:45am FREE, equipment available from the pool, New Liskeard Tennis Courts.

Wednesday's: Swimming 12-1:15pm \$4, Pool & Fitness Centre. **Public Skating** 12:30-1:30pm FREE New Liskeard Arena **-Evening Pickleball** 6:30-8:30pm FREE, equipment provided, New Liskeard Community Hall

Thursday October 29: Pickleball 12:30-2:30pm FREE at New Liskeard Tennis courts, if poor weather then at the New Liskeard Community Hall.

Friday October 30th Halloween Themed Ladies Pickleball 8:45-11:15am FREE, equipment provided, New Liskeard Community Hall.

-Swimming 12-1:15pm \$4, Pool & Fitness Centre.

Physical distancing will be in place, masks are required for activities indoors

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

NOTICE

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Public Works Department



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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. September passes are also at City Hall in Haileybury and the Pool Fitness Centre in New Liskeard.

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Please continue to use the transit for essential trips only.

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Note: Courts remain cancelled until **January 22, 2021**. You will be advised of your next court date in writing. Please do not attend City Hall or Northern College in Kirkland Lake for your court dates.

We now offer online payments at www.temiskamingshores.ca/poa. Payments will also continue to be accepted by telephone at 705-672-3221, email at poa@temiskamingshores.ca or by fax to 705-672-3200 or can be left in the drop box at the front entrance of City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury.

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

An Order made by the Chief Justice pursuant to s. 85 extending time-limits for applying for reopening (s.11), when a fine is due (s. 66) and when a fine goes into default (s. 69) is in effect until December 1st, 2020. If you do not respond by December 1st, 2020 you may be deemed not to dispute the charge and a justice may enter a conviction for the offence.

You may verify the status of your ticket at: <https://www.justiceservices.jus.gov.on.ca/POA/screens/poa/POASC001.xhtml>

PARKS

All outdoor bathrooms have been closed for the season. Parks will remain open for use but no facilities will be available.

STATO TRAIL

City of Temiskaming Shores Recreation Staff will be removing bollards along the length of the STATO trail the week of October 19, 2020.

Please drive with caution while in the area. Once removed, the trail will be closed for the season. If you are traveling on foot or by bicycle please ensure you're following the Highway Traffic Act.

CARTER ANTILA MEMORIAL SKATE PARK

The Carter Antila Memorial Skate Park is still open while the weather holds. Entrance to the park is through the open gate at the main entrance.

WATERFRONT POOL AND FITNESS CENTRE

Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre Hours:

Monday to Friday - 6am to 8:30pm

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Sunday - 10am to 4:30pm

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Swimming Schedule

Mondays – Public Swim 7:30am to 8:30am; Adult Swim 12pm to 1:15pm; Public Swim 1:30pm to 2:15pm

Tuesdays – Public Swim 7:30pm to 8:30pm

Wednesdays – Public Swim 7:30am to 8:30am; Adult Swim 12pm to 1:15pm; Public Swim 1:30pm to 2:15pm; Public Swim 7:15pm to 8:30pm

Thursdays – Public Swim 7:00pm to 8:30pm

Fridays – Public Swim 7:30am to 8:30am; Adult Swim 12pm to 1:15pm; Public Swim 7:15pm to 8:30pm

Saturdays – Public Swim 12:45pm to 1:45pm; Public Swim 2:30pm to 3:30pm

Sundays – Adult Swim 12:00pm to 1:30pm; Public Swim 2:30pm to 3:30pm; Public Swim 3:30pm to 4:30pm

Aquafitness – Monday/Wednesday/Friday mornings – 9am to 9:45am; Monday evenings 7:15pm to 8pm

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PAPER PUMPKIN CREATIONS

Maya and Ashly Legacy were busy making paper mache pumpkin creations during a workshop hosted by Living Temagami – Arts and Culture on Saturday, October 17, at the Temagami train station. Ashly helped to run the session alongside Omar De La Serna, with a limit of eight kids in attendance. (Staff photo by Jamie Mountain, LJI reporter)

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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/>

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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.

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CHURCH CLOSURES

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church is closed until further notice.

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OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH COMING EVENTS - October 2020

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Our Mother of Perpetual Help celebrates Sunday Masses on Sundays at 9AM and 11AM. Because of COVID restrictions, please register to attend these Masses by calling the office (705-647-5035) on Wednesdays.

Saint Patrick's Parish celebrates Sunday Mass on Saturdays at 5PM. They welcome parishioners on a first come, first serve basis.

Sunday Mass at 11AM at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish is live-streamed on our Facebook page, <http://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NLParish>

FIRST RECONCILIATION AT OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP: There will be a parents' meeting for parents of children who wish to receive their First Reconciliation and First Communion, on **Thursday, October 22nd at 7:00 P.M.** in the parish hall (81 Maple St. North New Liskeard). Because of COVID restrictions, please register before Friday, October 16th by phoning (705-647-5035) or emailing (omphoffice@gmail.com) the office. At the parents' meeting we will require your child's baptism certificate and parents will be given the home workbook (cost of \$15.00). This year, the children will simply complete the workbook with their parents. There will be no retreat. If you have any questions, please contact Paulette at 705-647-5116.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION COURSE AT OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP: According to the Diocesan guidelines, all parents who wish to have their child (from new-born to grade eight) baptised must attend a pre-baptismal preparation course. The course will take place on **Monday, October 26th at 7:00 P.M.** Because of COVID restrictions, please register before Friday, October 23rd by phoning (705-647- 5035) or emailing (omphoffice@gmail.com) the office.

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OMPH IS NOW ON FACEBOOK: Check our new facebook page at facebook.com/OMPH.NL and stay up to date on the latest happenings in the <http://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NLParish>.

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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.

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Armstrong looking at revamping its website

By Jamie Mountain
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EARLTON – Armstrong Township is looking at upgrading its website in order to be more accessible to the community.

Clerk-treasurer Amy Vickery-Menard explained to council at the October 14 meeting that in the last two budget years it has been determined that the township’s current website layout and features are outdated and need redeveloping.

“There were funds set aside in last year’s budget, which didn’t get the project started, and then again with the pandemic it kept getting reprioritized,” she noted.

“The pandemic also has kind of proven and tested our technology and our reliance on paper-based stuff.”

Vickery-Menard said that the human resources committee recognized through the visioning exercise that the website would be a priority and then tried to reprioritize when it would get done.

Before the request for proposal documents were finalized, she wanted to make sure council was “all on the same page” so that they knew what they were heading towards in terms of a website.

“So I guess first and foremost, I want to make sure that you do want to go work on a website and proceed with it and if you do, then what are we looking at in terms of content, self-serve options, things like that.”

Vickery-Menard said that all municipal websites are supposed to meet accessibility standards as of January 1, 2021, and that web content needs to meet accessibility guidelines 2.0.

“So that’s a big reason for us

to update our website is to make sure it’s meeting the accessibility,” she stressed.

SELF-SERVE

A lot of municipal and business websites now have added self-serve options to their websites, she noted, so Armstrong Township “might be able to add a payment portal” to theirs.

“I know Temiskaming Shores has added a payment portal to theirs for other payments other than taxes,” Vickery-Menard said.

Armstrong may not receive a significant number of payments other than taxes “to warrant that type of a payment portal, but it’s maybe something to look into. The same thing is that there is forms and requests, there are other ways we could serve the public through our website better.”

Another feature could be records management, having a portal of information that’s transparent and “gives the public access to our bylaws and our minutes.

“Do you want things like interactive tools so that you could engage the public and ask them surveys and provide them with event calendars and alerting systems and access to our GIS (Geographic Information System) maps.”

Another feature to consider, Vickery-Menard said, which is a big one for Armstrong Township considering its Franco-phone heritage, is whether or not they want their website to be completely bilingual.

Council agreed that it would be great to have the website be bilingual but Vickery-Menard noted depending on what all council wanted, it would come at a cost and that it’s all about “managing the content on-going.”

Councillor Kevin Léveillé commented that regardless of what the township decided to put on the website and what they would push out until later, that it would be nice to have a site that is user friendly that the staff or the public could go on and access what they need.

Vickery-Menard said that there would have to be some staff training when it comes to managing the website and that it would need a publisher and an editor to oversee it and approve the content.

PAYMENT PORTAL

Councillor Michele Rivard-Fotheringham commented that having a payment portal for things like swimming lessons or taxes would cut down on the number of people having to physically go into the municipal office to make those payments and it also would make it easier for the citizens who have busy schedules.

“To me, that’s the main (goal),” she said of having a payment portal feature.

Vickery-Menard raised the possibility of having social media feeds, such as Facebook and Twitter, running along the side of the main webpage.

The township looked into hiring an intern to assist with this project, as well as other modernization tasks, but Vickery-Menard said that the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation has postponed their programs to focus funding toward COVID recovery for the private sector.

Council also discussed the possibility of having a photo tab on the new website. The township could hire a local professional photographer to take pictures in the town and on farms. They also could set-up a program where the community can submit high-resolution photos that would be recommended to

have a visually appealing, professional look when launching the new site.

The municipality does not currently have a portfolio of photos.

Vickery-Menard said the timeline to create the website - including redevelopment project components (proposal documents/scope of work), procuring a firm and having a fully functioning website launched with professional photos - would take approximately three to four months.

She also said feedback on the project will be received until October 20, but first the township needs to confirm the proceeding with the request for proposal process for website redevelopment, the hiring of a professional photographer or creating a photo submission program, confirm key content headers and if the website will be bilingual.



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