

# WEEKENDER

## THE SPEAKER'S WEEKEND EDITION



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### SUMMER BUDS

The Haileybury waters are still the place to be this summer for a lot of kids looking for some fun. Taking the dive off the beachfront platform on August 2 were, from the left, Carter Gaudet, Joshua Francisco, Jayden Gaudet, Thomas Francisco and Landon Breault. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)

## Rising rates

### City insurance bill up another 20 per cent

**Diane Johnston**  
Speaker Reporter

TEMISKAMING SHORES – The city's insurance bill is rising again, this time by more than 20 per cent.

The city has renewed its agreement with BFL Canada

for municipal insurance and risk management services, at a premium of \$594,031.

That's up \$113,600, or almost 24 per cent, from 2020.

And it's more than double the \$247,770 the city paid in 2018.

At the same time, its

deductible for flood damage for properties in some areas – including Riverside Drive, Whitewood Avenue and May Street in New Liskeard – is increasing to \$200,000.

"We're not alone in this," city manager Chris Oslund told Temiskaming Shores

councillors.

He said rates for Northeastern Ontario municipalities are increasing on average by some 20 per cent.

"These are concerning numbers," he said at the July 13 meeting.

This year's insurance ex-

penditure represents roughly 4.5 per cent of the property taxes collected by the city.

Oslund noted that Councillor Danny Whalen, as president of the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities and a member of the

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- With all signs pointing to a federal election, Nipissing-Timiskaming saw its first visit by a national party leader on July 31, the People's Party of Canada's Maxime Bernier.
- Temiskaming's acting medical officer of health says vaccination and continued public health measures are key in mitigating an anticipated fourth wave of COVID-19 in the fall.
- A Coleman Township family was expressing gratitude for the help in the successful search for an elderly woman with dementia who had wandered from home.
- A cycling journey that began in B.C. in May ended in Temiskaming Shores at a memorial to Jeff Splinter and Garnett Johnson, two cyclists killed on Lakeshore Road one year earlier. It was organized by Splinter's stepdaughter Tiffany Muncaster and her partner Graham Collingwood.
- The rubber ducky race returns to Latchford August 21, with proceeds slated for renovation of the Latchford fire hall.
- Markets are now being staged on Friday afternoons at the Kenabeek hall.
- A donation from Northdale Manor resident Metro Terentiuk enabled the retirement residence to pave its parking lot.



## FOCUS ON LAKESHORE

*Temiskaming OPP Sergeant Kyle Perry was at Hughes Lookout in Haileybury last week, using the in-cruiser radar system to check for speeders. In what's described as a focus patrol, Perry said enforcement and education would be used to address concerns over speeding in the area. A renewed round of calls to improve road safety has been made to Temiskaming Shores council, and concerns over speeding have been passed on to the Temiskaming Shores Police Services Board. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)*



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 hold her for awhile

**Until We Meet Again**  
We think about you always,  
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you have never been forgotten, Dad  
and you never will.  
We hold you close within our hearts,  
and there you will remain,  
To walk and guide us through our lives  
until we meet again.

Lovingly remembered by  
their son, Paul



# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## Slower speeds, safer streets

Dear editor,  
Re. "Over the Limit," Weekender July 30, 2021

I've been hit by a car two times. But that's not what this letter is about - it's about the fact that I am here to write about it. I've also fallen in the middle of one of Toronto's busiest intersections at rush hour. I've hit my hand on the

hood of a car to get the attention of a driver who hadn't seen me in an intersection more times than I can count. This last one has happened as much while walking as cycling, and yes, it's happened in Temiskaming Shores as much as anywhere else.

In his recent presentation to City of Temiskaming Shores

council, local road safety advocate Mark Wilson reminded us that streets need to be designed for people who make mistakes. Mistakes happen. And when they happen, where there is a 5,000 pound-plus vehicle in the mix, it's the momentum (and size - but that's another discussion) of the vehicle that will decide the fate of those involved. Every time I've walked away from an in-

teraction with a vehicle, it was because the driver was not going so fast as to cause severe injury or death.

Slower speeds mean everyone can use the streets safely and a few seconds off of a commute is not worth the risk of someone's well-being.

I've shared my experience to help us consider how driving speeds might impact people of all ages who might be

using our streets - walking, cycling, playing nearby - and what might happen if anyone makes a mistake. I support speed limits that minimize the risk of injury or death, and encourage others to do what they can to be mindful of speed and support our community's efforts toward safer road design.

Sincerely,

Amanda Mongeon  
Temiskaming Shores



## SKILLZ

## SHARPENING

Brianna Legros, who played for Team Canada at the U18 2020 Women's World Championship in Bratislava, Slovakia, instructs Cooper Eckensviller in the finer points of shot making during a recent Zubyc SkillZ session at the Haileybury tennis courts. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)



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## Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

### Overdose Awareness

An overdose means having more of a drug (or combination of drugs) than your body can handle. All drugs can cause an overdose, including prescription medication. It's important to know the right amount and the right time to take your medication. It's also extremely important to know what drugs should not be mixed, and to get help if you feel you are not in control of your drug use.

#### Depressants and Opioids

A depressant is a drug that slows the vital activities of the body including breathing and heart rate. Depressants may also be known as sedatives. Opioids (such as heroin and pharmaceutical opioids like hydrocodone), medications like Xanax or Valium and alcohol all slow the central nervous system to produce a calming effect. When taken in large amounts or in combination with other medications and/or alcohol, these medications can weaken normal functions like breathing and lower heart rate until breathing and heart rate eventually stop, resulting in death.

#### Alcohol

Usually people don't think of alcohol when they think of an overdose, but alcohol is a depressant and it is possible to overdose on it. Acute alcohol poisoning, usually a result of binge drinking, is an example.

If you drink a large amount of alcohol quickly, the level of alcohol in your bloodstream can become dangerously high. Alcohol poisoning could stop you from breathing, stop your heart or cause you to choke on your own vomit.

#### Stimulants

It is possible to overdose on amphetamines. Adderall and Dexedrine are both examples of prescription stimulants. Amphetamine overdose increases the risk of heart attack, stroke, seizure or drug-induced psychotic episodes.

#### When to Call an Ambulance

Seeking emergency help isn't just for when someone is unconscious. You should also seek help when someone is:

- Having a seizure
- Experiencing severe headache
- Experiencing chest pain
- Having a hard time breathing
- Extremely paranoid, agitated and/or confused

It is not necessary for someone to have all of these signs or symptoms for them to be overdosing. Showing signs of one or more could still mean they are in trouble and need emergency help.

**Always call an ambulance if you suspect someone has overdosed!!**



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# EDITORIAL

## We must do better

The federal and provincial governments have given out monies through the Canadian Infrastructure Program in recent weeks to municipalities across the north for upgrades to arenas, sewer and water facilities and recreation infrastructure.

This money is being handed out because the federal and Ontario governments say the COVID-19 pandemic has placed undue strain on Ontario's 444 municipalities.

The irony surrounding those funding grants to many people is reflected in how our First Nation communities struggle with long-term boil water advisories.

There are 32 Ontario First Nation communities with long-term boil water advisories in place.

The Neskantaga First Nation community, along the James Bay coast, has been under a boil water advisory since 1995.

It remains a national disgrace that so many Indigenous communities don't have access to clean drinking water.

And yet the provincial and federal government hands out significant monies during the pandemic to upgrade municipal drinking water

systems, sewer facilities and recreation infrastructure.

The fact that many First Nation communities don't have access to clean, safe drinking water at this time remains a dark spot on our collective Canadian conscience.

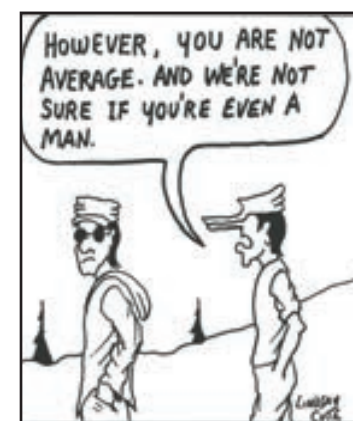
The platitudes of "we must do better" continue to ring empty as Indigenous communities deal with a clean water disparity.

The federal government has, to its credit, ended several Indigenous drinking water advisories that had placed First Nations people's health in jeopardy for decades.

With renewed talk of truth and reconciliation in the face of the over 1,000 recently discovered Indigenous children's graves at residential schools across the country, we continue to be defined by shame.

Let the government wash away the stain of inadequate clean drinking water for Indigenous communities as a sincere step towards truth and reconciliation.

Everyone in Canada should have access to safe, clean drinking water.





# Holiday shenanigans



Sue Nielsen

The plan for my week of holidays was not to have a plan. I know that might scare some people. Deep breath, all is good and well. But if I had a plan it was to free-wheel it, do what I want when I wanted.

If I slept in that would be fine, if I spent hours in my canoe that was even better, and if I swam in a beautiful northern lake, that was the icing on the cake.

I can safely check off all those boxes as we enter the beautiful month of August.

When we think of our summer holidays most of us spend hours and hours planning every detail of our holiday and for what?

I prefer spontaneity because you open the door to all kinds of possibilities.

Type A personalities would be totally overwhelmed at my lack of order and run for the guidebooks, the super organizer Marie Kondo videos and Google if they were hanging with me.

Detailed agendas, arrival times and attention to fine holiday details leave this free-spirited wild woman feeling confined and regimented.

That scary feeling of not knowing where I was going from one day to the next or what I was going to do was exactly what I was after because I believe the surprises along the way made my holidays that much richer.

Running around a city or town with your nose in a guidebook is a guarantee you will miss 95 per cent of the best places to visit and the stories therein.

I spent most of the week at my favourite lake and met this young woman who cycled all the way from Gaspé in Quebec to Ontario. She has a fascinating job as an avalanche predictor.

For me, my entire experience as a wild woman living her life in her own way is the stories that you gain from doing things outside the box.

From being creative with your day's agenda and just going with the flow.

My sister Jane arrived for a visit and we had a great time together as we hadn't seen each other in almost 18 months.

Deborah Murray, the kindest and most generous person I know, stopped at my lakeside cabin bringing me fresh raspberries from her garden.

You know what, at the end of the day, I fell into bed exhausted and able to count each and every day as a blessing.

I cracked the cover on a couple of new-to-me books: Jodi Wilson-Raybould's *From Where I Stand: Rebuilding Indigenous Nations* for a Stronger Canada and Roy MacGregor's *A Life in the Bush*.

You know this busy bragging epidemic treadmill we are all running on has got to stop.

Someone asked me the other day how I was and I casually replied, "Oh you know, busy as always."

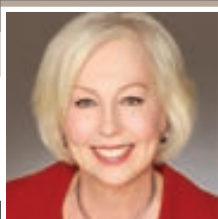
Ugh, after the words slipped from my mouth I thought to myself, I was busy bragging.

Have a wonderful week everyone!

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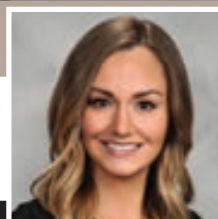
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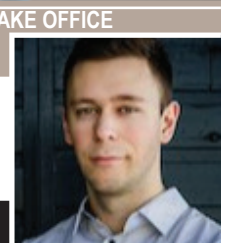
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# CITY BULLETIN

## PROFILE

A Business Improvement Area (BIA) is a “made-in-Ontario” innovation that allows local business people and commercial property owners and tenants to join together and, with the support of the municipality, to organize, finance, and carry out physical improvements and promote economic development in their district.



Call for board members

We are looking for enthusiastic individuals to join the New Liskeard Business Improvement Area Board of Management.

To be an eligible board member, a person be the owner or tenant of a commercial property in the downtown BIA area.

Board members meet once per month, and work to promote the area as a business/ shopping destination; to create marketing strategies and promotions to retain and expand the customer base; to organize and work together with BIA members to plan special events that highlight attributes of our area to increase customer visits, and to provide members with the opportunity to voice concerns and ideas.

The BIA is funded entirely by downtown commercial property owners and businesses through a BIA Levy.

Please contact Sharren Reil for further information at 705-648-4044 or [bianewliskeard@gmail.com](mailto:bianewliskeard@gmail.com).

An electronic copy of the application form may be obtained by contacting the municipal office at 705-672-3363, or by contacting the Municipal Clerk. Forms may also be obtained by attending City Hall (325 Farr Drive). Completed forms are to be received by the undersigned no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, August 13, 2021.

Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk

E-mail: [lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca)

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## Committee of the Whole Public Meeting - New Liskeard Marina

The City of Temiskaming Shores will be holding a public meeting to review the current state of operations of the New Liskeard Marina. Council is inviting all stakeholders to provide their input on future operations of the facility, as well as future use of the marina property / building.

### The Public Meeting will be held:

**Date:** Tuesday, August 10, 2021

**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Council Chambers - 325 Farr Drive

The public can provide input on the New Liskeard Marina, as follows:

- **Submit Comments in Writing:** Persons wishing to provide written comments may submit in writing, using the email address above, prior to **4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 10, 2021**; or may submit comments to [questions@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:questions@temiskamingshores.ca), during the live-streamed Council meeting, viewed on the City of Temiskaming Shores Facebook page.
- **Attend and/or Speak at the Meeting:** Due to physical distancing measures and COVID-19 protocols, individuals wishing to attend or to speak at the meeting, must **pre-register** with the Clerk's Office, prior to **12:00 noon on Tuesday, August 10, 2021**, using the above-noted email or telephone number.

### Register to Speak or Written Submissions:

Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk

Email: [clerk@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:clerk@temiskamingshores.ca)

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### More Information

Residents unable to attend the meeting in-person are encouraged to either watch the meeting live on the City's Facebook page: ([facebook.com/temiskamingshores/](https://facebook.com/temiskamingshores/)) or submit their comments ahead of the meeting.

For more information regarding the New Liskeard Marina meeting, please contact Matt Bahm, Director of Recreation at [mbahm@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:mbahm@temiskamingshores.ca).

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**TEMISKAMING SHORES PUBLIC LIBRARY**

The Library is open to the public again! We are now back to our regular hours of operation. Although there is no in-person programming for children this summer, we have a number of virtual and take-away activities for kids of all ages.

Please call the library at 705-647-4215 for more information!

Library hours

Mondays: 10-4

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays: 10-8

Fridays and Saturdays: 10-4

Visitors to the library will need to self-screen for COVID-19 symptoms upon entering the building, wear a facemask, and maintain physical distancing of two metres. If you are not able to wear a mask, contact the library and we can arrange for contactless pickup of your items for you.

Digital Creator Space

The Library's Digital Creator Space is set up and open for use by patrons. We currently have the following platforms available for use:

- Apple Mac Pros
- Green Screens
- 3-D Printing
- Raspberry Pi
- Virtual Reality Hardware

We are waiting until it is safe to host programs for this space, but in the meantime we have a summer student ready to introduce the platforms to anyone who is interested. Drop in and create a 3-D print or try out the VR equipment! It is not necessary to have a library membership to use the space and use of the platforms is free of charge.

Temiskaming Shores Public Library Virtual Movie Screening

Until we can gather together again in the library, we're thrilled to offer you a free private screening of some great Hollywood movies in your own home. Pop some popcorn, get comfy and register for any of the films we're offering. To register, send your choice of movie date, name, and email address to: [amccorkle@temisklibrary.com](mailto:amccorkle@temisklibrary.com). All of the movies are shown on Wednesdays—We will email you a website and code to access the movie and you will have until midnight on that day to watch it. Here are our movie listings!

Ice Age: Continental Drift—August 11

Turbo: A Power Rangers Movie—August 25

Spy Kids: All the Time in the World—September 1

For more information, call the library at 705-647-4215

Preventing the "Summer Slide"

This summer one of our high priorities is to help you and your children prevent the Summer Slide, which is when children lose some of their reading skills over the summer. We will be handing out ABC Life Literacy activity pages weekly starting the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>. Every week there will be a new activity page up until the week of August 23<sup>rd</sup>. Just ask any of our staff members for your copy to take home to complete with your children.

Outdoor Nature Scavenger Hunt August 2-27

Turn an enjoyable walk into an exciting scavenger hunt and collect some natural treasures like: twig, pine cone, flower, maple key or other seed, very COLOURFUL stone (for this final item ask our staff for a poetry hand-out). If you wish to turn your collection into a mosaic of natural beauty ask us for a mounting square.

Up, Down and All Around Virtual STEM Workshop by Scientists in School

On August 18 from 1:00-2:00 the library is hosting a STEM Workshop with Scientists in School. Explore how things move! Discover the science behind a magic trick, defy gravity by creating a balancing bird, and engineer an elastic racer to chase down Newton's Laws. We'll be on the move! For ages 4 to 12. To participate in the workshop, contact TSPL to sign up as we email those people the link to take part in the workshop and contact them to pick up the mini science bags needed to participate.



**For More Information Call 705 672-3363 Write to The City of Temiskaming Shores, P.O. Box 2050, Haileybury, ON P0J 1K0 or Visit our Website: [www.temiskamingshores.ca](http://www.temiskamingshores.ca)**

**RECREATION UPDATE****Facilities**

- The Pool and Fitness Centre Gym will reopen **AUGUST 9, 2021**.
- The Pool and Fitness Centre Pool will reopen **AUGUST 18, 2021**.
- Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena is **CLOSED**. Opening date: **SEPTEMBER 29th**.
- Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena will reopen **TUESDAY AUGUST 3rd**. Book summer ice today by contacting City Hall at 672-3363.
- Municipal Halls are **OPEN**. Book today by contacting City Hall at 672-3363.

**Outdoor Recreation Facilities**

- All outdoor recreation facilities are **OPEN** including parks, playgrounds, trails, the Carter Antila Memorial Skate Park, Basketball Courts, Tennis Courts, Ball Diamonds and Soccer Fields.

**Marinas**

- New Liskeard and Haileybury Marinas are **OPEN**
- Both marinas are open from 11am to 6:30pm daily for pump outs, and fuel.
- Get your slip today by calling City Hall at 705-672-3363

**STATO Trail**

- STATO trail is open! Please use caution while on the trail and maintain physical distancing of 2m
- SECTION CLOSURE – 30m between Harbourfront Pavilion and the Haileybury Marina is CLOSED indefinitely.

**Beaches**

- The New Liskeard Beach is open for **UNSUPERVISED** swimming. Please respect physical distancing guidelines and other public health recommendations.
- The Bucke Park Campground Beach is open for **UNSUPERVISED** swimming. Please respect physical distancing guidelines and other public health recommendations.
- The Haileybury Beach is open for **SUPERVISED** swimming by Lifeguards from 12pm to 6pm daily. Please respect physical distancing guidelines and other public health recommendations.

**Council and Committee MEETINGS****Committee of the Whole Meeting**

Tuesday, August 10, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

**Regular Council Meeting**

Tuesday, August 10, 2021 – Immediately following the Committee of the Whole Meeting City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

**Regular Council Meeting**

Tuesday, September 7, 2021 @ 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. Residents are encouraged to watch the live-streamed meeting on the City's Facebook page.

**Question and Answer Period Procedure**

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# Hospital patients can access diagnostic imaging files

TEMISKAMING SHORES (Staff/Special) – You can now access the X-ray of your broken arm or your latest mammogram.

Temiskaming Hospital has partnered with PocketHealth, which describes itself as “a secure, online storage hub” for medical imaging records.

In a news release, the hospital explained that the PocketHealth platform lets patients view their own imaging records and reports.

They can download the in-

formation, share it with any health care professional, and electronically request their imaging files from any other participating clinic and hospital in Canada.

The new service allows patients “to have more control over their health information and who they share it with,” said hospital CEO Mike Baker.

It will reduce “unnecessary challenges for providers, patients and staff” in safely sharing a patient’s diagnos-

tic imaging information with providers in “a timely manner and facilitate patient access to their health information,” said Erin Montgomery, the hospital’s chief nursing executive and vice-president of patient services.

Patients can request any diagnostic imaging studies performed at Temiskaming Hospital, including X-rays, ultrasounds, CT scans, mammograms, and bone density tests.

To access the new service,

patients can register online, at [www.pocket.health/en-US/TEMISKAMING](http://www.pocket.health/en-US/TEMISKAMING).

Once enrolled, a patient will receive an access email with a secure link to their imaging history from Temiskaming Hospital as well as other hospitals in the North Eastern Health Services Alliance.

There’s a fee of \$5 per transfer, which includes all available imaging records at the time of registration as well as any imaging done in the next 14 days.

Imaging performed after that 14-day grace period will automatically be added to the patient’s PocketHealth account, with the option to purchase another transfer.

The fee applies only when patients are requesting access to their files for their own use, explained senior radiology technologist Natalie Rivet in an email.

There is no fee when files are transferred between specialists and institutions, she said.

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# Temiskaming tree planting hits new record

DISTRICT (Special) – A record number of trees have been planted in Temiskaming this year, thanks to a not-for-profit initiative.

Forests Ontario's partners have planted more than 68,000 seedlings in the district in 2021 under the 50 Million Tree Program.

That brings the program's local total to almost 170,000.

And across Ontario, Forests Ontario said it has facilitated the planting of more 34 million trees since 2008.

Forests Ontario is a not-for-profit charity dedicated to re-greening, through tree planting, reforestation, stewardship and education.

In a news release, it said the 50 Million Tree Program makes planting easier and more affordable by providing technical and financial assistance.

"Once eligible landowners apply to the program, we connect them to a local planting partner to create and carry out

a site plan that suits their property and objectives," said Rob Keen, a registered professional forester and Forests Ontario CEO.

"By connecting them with experienced forestry professionals and significantly reducing the cost of tree planting, the 50 Million Tree Program is a unique opportunity for those looking to green their properties."

The program also emphasizes long-term monitoring and survival.

"It's important to Forests Ontario that the seedlings we plant grow into healthy forests. That's why we monitor tree health the first few years after planting," explained Keen.

Forests Ontario points to a recent study by Natural Resources Canada that found that more than 83 per cent of trees planted under the program are thriving on the landscape.

The benefits of planting trees are many, it said.



A record 68,000 trees took root in Temiskaming this year under the 50 Million Tree Program. Applications are now open for landowners who want to take part in the program, which is facilitated by Forests Ontario, in 2022. (Supplied Photo)

They include the creation of wildlife habitat, improved soil quality, increased property value, enhanced opportunities for recreation such as hiking and snowshoeing, and climate

change mitigation.

Landowners with a minimum of four hectares (9.88 acres) of forested land may also be able to take advantage of Ontario's Managed Forest

Tax Incentive Program.

It offers a reduction of up to 75 per cent on property taxes for eligible portions of the property.

Applications are now open for 2022.

Applicants must have space for at least 500 trees in order to qualify for the 50 Million Tree Program.

For those with smaller lots, Forests Ontario's over-the-counter program offers trees at a discounted rate.

To get trees planted in 2022, visit [www.forestson-tario.ca/en/program/50-million-tree-program](http://www.forestson-tario.ca/en/program/50-million-tree-program).

Since June 2019, the 50 Million Tree Program has been supported by the federal government, corporate sponsors, and donors.

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# CAA offering sharing-the-road tips for drivers, cyclists

OTTAWA (Special) – Are you hitting the road this summer on two wheels or four?

The Canadian Automobile Association (CAA) has launched a new national public education campaign encouraging drivers and cyclists to share the road safely.

“With this campaign, we wanted to improve road safety in a way that felt authentic,” said Ian Jack, vice-president of public affairs at CAA, in a news release.

“Cyclists and drivers sometimes get cranky with each other. That’s OK. We don’t need a kumbaya moment – but we do want to keep each other safe.”

As part of the campaign, CAA urges drivers and cyclists to keep the following tips in mind on the roads this summer, and always:

- Leave at least one metre of space – more if local law requires it. A cyclist may need to avoid an obstacle, like a pothole, on the side

of the road. Leaving space allows everyone to remain safe.

- Be alert and remain focused at all times. Distracted driving is one of the leading causes of collisions in Canada.

- Drivers are urged to check their mirrors and blind spots before turning, changing lanes, passing or merging.

- Be predictable and use your turn signals or hands to show your intentions, and always obey traffic signals and signs. Two-way communications between a driver and a cyclist can save lives.

- Stay aware of your surroundings when opening doors or biking by parked cars to avoid collisions.

The campaign was developed by Vancouver-based agency One Twenty Three West and can be viewed on the CAA website and social media.



## STREET LIFE

The focus was on culture in downtown Haileybury July 23 as Open Studio Libre launched a fundraiser with a Parisian market vibe. Adding live music to the mix was Ian DeJoseph. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)



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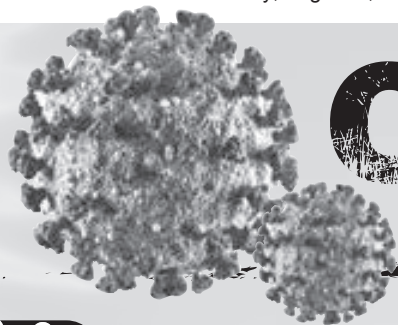
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## Le saviez vous?

Dans toutes nos cliniques communautaires, nous avons des espaces privés disponibles. Par exemple, si vous êtes plus à l'aise de recevoir votre vaccin contre la COVID-19 dans un endroit privé, veuillez le demander quand vous vous inscrivez et nous veillerons à répondre à vos besoins.

## MISE À JOUR DU VACCIN CONTRE LA COVID-19

Clinique sans rendez vous : Pas de réservations requises pour les 1ère et 2e doses de Pfizer. Disponible à tous, 12 ans +.

Toutes les cliniques sont aux endroits suivants : Centre communautaire Don Shepherdson de New Liskeard, Centre communautaire d'Englehart et la Royal Branch Legion de Kirkland Lake

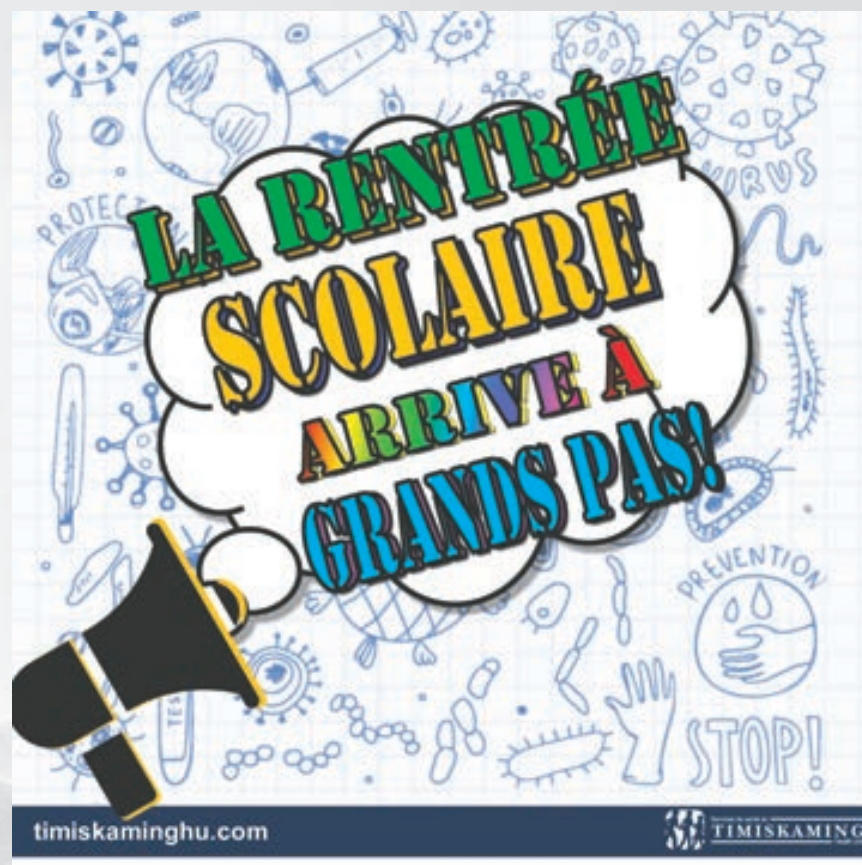
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La vaccination complète représente la meilleure protection que vous puissiez avoir contre la COVID-19 et ses variants, y compris le variant Delta. Si vous avez reçu une première dose de Moderna ou de Pfizer, vous pouvez sans risque recevoir une seconde dose de Moderna ou de Pfizer pour une forte protection.

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Les pharmacies offrent également des vaccins à base d'ARNm (Moderna et Pfizer)



# Horoscopes

## CAPRICORN

Emotions will be running high, and you might overreact. Be careful with money, as you'll be tempted to make a few impulse purchases. If you treat yourself, do so in moderation and try to be reasonable.



December 22 - January 19

## AQUARIUS

After a promotion, it's a good idea to buy new clothes to match your new position. You'll invest in your image for both personal and professional reasons. You want to look good in any situation.



January 20 - February 18

## PISCES

You'll find yourself with several fires to put out. You'll be generously rewarded for your efforts though. For example, you might get an impressive promotion. Your love interest will express some form of commitment.



February 19 - March 20

## ARIES

Your sense of esthetics will reach new heights as you create one masterpiece after another in your day-to-day life. Your patience will pay off for one reason or another, and you'll be able to work some magic in your relationship.



March 21 - April 19

## TAURUS

You might spend part of the week at home. If you have young children, you'll have a lot of responsibilities on your plate. A situation at home will require your attention. If you're single, you'll have a surprising encounter.



April 20 - May 20

## GEMINI

You'll have a lot of running around to do, and it could take longer than expected. Don't turn down invitations to relax and have fun from friends and family members. You need to let go. Selling your house would be quite profitable.



May 21 - June 21

## CANCER

You'll find solutions for financial problems, even small ones. Don't hesitate to consult friends and professionals so you can get all the facts straight. You'll receive funding for a project.



June 22 - July 22

## LEO

You'll have a lot going on in the weeks ahead, and time will fly by. You'll put your imagination to good use. At work, a project will soon be worth its weight in gold. You might need to get some rest to better channel your energy.



July 23 - August 22

## VIRGO

Even though time is in short supply, your perseverance and determination will lead you across the finish line. At work, you need to enjoy what you do in order to feel like you belong. Some reflection on the matter is required.



August 23 - September 22

## LIBRA

Regardless of any restrictions in your area, there's bound to be an event in which you have to deal with numerous people. Your expansive imagination will allow you to create a masterpiece, much to your amazement.



September 23 - October 22

## SCORPIO

Time is in short supply, and you'll have no choice but to remain organized. You'll need to let go of a fair amount of stress afterward. Additionally, it's a good idea to take some time to reconnect with old friends.



October 23 - November 21

## SAGITTARIUS

You might want to take a little vacation before the end of the summer. Pay attention to the details involved in a long-term or work-related project. Afterward, you'll let your hair down and have some fun.



November 22 - December 21

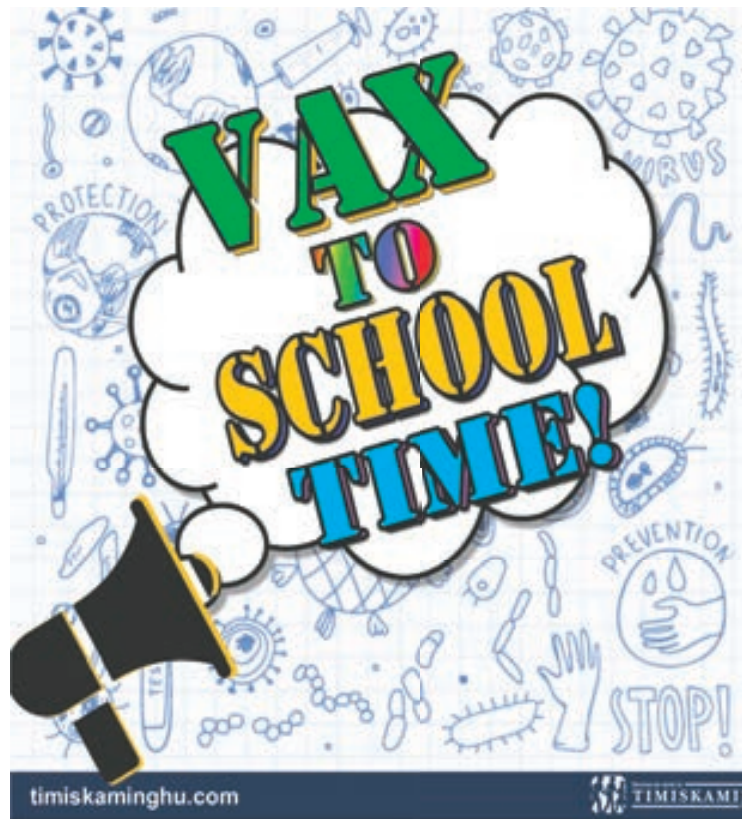
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Aug 11: Kirkland Lake 10 a.m.-1 p.m. and 3:30-6:30 p.m.

Aug 12: Englehart 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Full vaccination is the greatest protection you can have against COVID-19 and its variants, including the Delta variant. If you had Moderna or Pfizer for your first dose you can safely take either Moderna or Pfizer for your second dose for strong protection.

If you had the AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine as your first dose, your second dose can be AstraZeneca or one of the mRNA vaccines (Pfizer or Moderna). Pharmacies also carry mRNA vaccines (Moderna and Pfizer).



Already thinking about back-to-school prep? Don't forget your vax! Youth 12-17 need to get vaccinated ASAP so they can get back to their friends, school and extra-curriculars as safely as possible.

### Did you know?

At all of our community clinics we have private spaces available. So for example, if you are more comfortable having your COVID-19 vaccine in a private area, please ask when you register and we will make sure your needs are accommodated.

### COVID-19 VACCINE UPDATE

Walk-in clinics: No appointments necessary for Pfizer first and second doses. Available to all 12+.

Venues: New Liskeard Arena, Englehart Arena and Kirkland Lake Legion

Aug 4: New Liskeard & Kirkland Lake 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

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1. Unpleasantly damp
5. Like some cheese
9. Have
12. Hard metal
13. Heavy twine
14. Neckline style
15. Parent
16. Aluminum sheet
17. Munch on
18. Grandma’s brooch
20. Salespeople
22. Formal
25. Burn slowly
29. Superstar
33. Dad
34. Enclosed truck
36. Nil
37. Colony dwellers
38. Propose
40. Peaceful
43. Intrude
46. Within the law
51. Iced drink
52. Carpenters’ tools
55. Mobile starter
56. Shout
57. Mimic
58. Messy fellow
59. “\_\_\_\_\_ So Shy”
60. Stage production
61. Graceful trees

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1. Type of brakes

2. Opera highlight

3. Average

4. On bended \_\_\_\_\_

5. Sandy’s woof

6. Icky stuff

7. Heroic narratives

8. Vales
9. Blown lead-in

10. Not strong

11. Hair holders

19. Unusual

21. Looking at

23. Gun, as an engine

24. Rub out

25. Resort of sorts

26. Human being
27. Pick

28. Cowboy’s tool

30. Fawn’s mom

31. Switch choices

32. Allow

35. Convent denizen

39. Become firm

41. Winding curves

42. Arrive at
43. Craving

44. Only

45. Settles a bill

47. Diminish

48. Seabird

49. Minute particle

50. Tosses

53. Owl’s question?

54. Mama pig



# Ontario supporting ID, commemoration of burial sites

**DISTRICT (Special/Staff)** – The Ontario government has pledged \$10 million to support the identification, investigation, protection and commemoration of Indian Residential School burial sites across the province.

In a news release, the province said the funding will also ensure that culturally appropriate, trauma-informed mental health supports are available for Indian Residential School survivors, their families and Indigenous communities.

The funding was announced after the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation announced that the remains of 215 children had been found on the grounds of a former residential school in British Columbia.

Soon after, 751 unmarked graves were detected by ground-penetrating radar at the site of a former residential school in Saskatchewan.

“Like all Ontarians, I was heartbroken by the news of a burial site containing the remains of 215 Indigenous children at the former Indian Residential School in Kamloops British Columbia,” said Ontario Premier Doug Ford in the announcement June 15.

“That is why our government is partnering with Indigenous communities to address the loss of generations who are no longer with us, and the continued loss experienced by residential school survivors and their families.

“As we advance meaningful reconciliation, it is important that all of us continue to deepen our collective understanding of the legacy of the Indian Residential School system.”

In the news release, the government said more than 150,000 Indigenous children across Canada were forcibly removed from their families and communities and sent to

Indian Residential Schools between 1870 and 1996.

According to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, there were 18 Indian Residential Schools in Ontario. The last school closed in 1991, and some sites have since been repurposed, abandoned or destroyed.

The commission estimated that at least 426 children who attended Indian Residential Schools in Ontario are known to have died, while an unknown number are still missing.

Its research identified 12 locations of unmarked burial sites in Ontario, and the province said there are likely more.

In its announcement, the government said it's working in collaboration with Indigenous leaders to establish processes that will guide the work related to residential school site identification, investigation, protection and commemoration.

Indigenous communities will have the option to work in conjunction with Ontario specialists, such as those provided by the province's Centre of Forensic Sciences and the Office of the Chief Coroner/Ontario Forensic Pathology Service.

“Our little ones need to be

found, named, and where possible, returned to their families and communities,” said Roseanne Archibald, the outgoing Ontario Regional Chief, in the news release.

“Memorial sites must go up across Ontario to remind us that we can never let this happen to our children again, ever,” said Archibald as she thanked the premier and Ontario Indigenous Affairs Minister Greg Rickford “for joining us and supporting us in this

healing journey.”

“Survivors have long shared the truths about the missing children. The province is now listening,” said Alvin Fiddler, outgoing Grand Chief of the Nishnawbe Aski Nation, in a statement.

“Our Nations must lead this important and sacred work with the support from the province. We require access to funding, technical expertise, mental health supports and justice. We want to find our chil-

dren and bring them home.”

“Many in the Métis community attended residential and day school institutions, creating pain that rests with us to this day,” said Margaret Froh, president of Métis Nation of Ontario.

“This funding will help our communities address the intentional harms of those institutions and their legacy, and more importantly, help our communities move towards true closure,” Froh said.

## City insurance bill up another 20 per cent

*Continued from Front*

Association of Municipalities of Ontario executive committee, has been looking into the issue.

But the rising costs are “going to have a real impact on a lot of municipalities.”

In an interview following the meeting, Oslund said the local rates are being driven not by claims, but by the

hardening of the insurance market for municipalities.

In a report to council, city staff say the trend identified a couple of years ago is continuing. It is marked by fewer insurers in the market, higher premiums and deductibles, and restrictions on coverage.

City staff say it's still too early to assess the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the

municipal insurance sector.

It cited the figures from insurer Lloyd's, which estimates the overall cost of the pandemic to the global property and casualty insurance industry at more than \$100 billion.

Domestic insurers, meanwhile, now consider water damage, caused by flooding for example, as the biggest peril, ahead of fire.





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## The Corporation of The Township of Matachewan is seeking applications to fill a Vacancy on Council

Interested persons are asked to submit a Council Vacancy Application (form available on website [www.matachewan.com](http://www.matachewan.com) or at the Municipal Office).

For Council or Local Board where the provisions of the Municipal Act apply -A person is qualified to be elected or to hold office who, as of the day he or she submits their application:

- Entitled to be an elector under Section 17 of the MEA4.
- Not disqualified by an Act from holding such an office.
- Not disqualified under the provisions as outlined in Section 90(3) and 91(1) of the MEA.

Under section 29(1.1) of the MEA, despite Subsection (1) and despite Section 258 of the Municipal Act, Section 9 of the Legislative Assembly Act, and Section 219 of the Education Act, a sitting member of the Provincial Legislature or the Federal Senate may be nominated for local office.

However, if they still hold membership to those bodies as of Nomination Day their nominations shall be rejected Under Section 30(1) of the MEA.

Applications will be received by the Municipal Clerk until 4:00 p.m. on August 16, 2021 at The Corporation of The Township of Matachewan Municipal Office at 283 Moyneur Avenue, Matachewan, ON.

283 Moyneur Avenue, P.O. Box 177,  
Matachewan, ON P0K 1M0  
[www.matachewan.com](http://www.matachewan.com)

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e-mail: treasurer@evanturel.com

**Application closing date – August 13, 2021**

We wish to thank all those who apply however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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## OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

OMPH and St. Pat's are open to celebrate Masses. On Saturdays at 5pm at St. Pat's and Sundays at 9am and 11am at OMPH. We are only able to welcome 15% capacity back, which is 37 people. Parishioners will be welcomed on a first come, first serve basis. Sunday Mass at 11am will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook until we are able to open fully. Our Mother of Perpetual Help is now on Facebook at facebook.com/OMPH.NL and stay up to date on the latest happenings in the Parish.

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

**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](http://www.ourmotherofperpetualhelp.ca).

## Crossword Answers from 14

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## YARD SALES

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## CHURCH SERVICES & more...

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**THORNLOE CROSSROADS BAPTIST CHURCH-** Corner of Hwys 11 & 562, 15 minutes north of New Liskeard. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. for all ages. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening 6:30. Everyone is welcome. Pastor Curtis Greenwood 705-622-4860. For more information [www.thornloecrossroads.ca](http://www.thornloecrossroads.ca).

**THE SALVATION ARMY TEMISKAMING COMMUNITY CHURCH & COMMUNITY SERVICES** - 260 Whitewood Ave., New Liskeard. Invites you to join Sunday worship service at 10:30am. All are welcome. Online recordings available at Temiskaming Salvation Army on youtube.com or on Facebook at The Salvation Army Temiskaming Community Church. Due to Covid-19, Emergency foodbank protocols have changed. Call 705-647-4115 Wednesday from 10am-12pm for intake interview and appointment for the afternoon. No walk-ins please.

**ST. PAUL & ST. JOHN ANGLICAN CHURCH, HAILEYBURY** Is now open for services every Sunday at 11 a.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** Wellington St., New Liskeard. Worship Service 11:00 am Sunday Morning. All are welcome. Pastor Stephen Speer officiating. For more information, call 705-647-5026.

**BIBLE READING GROUP-** Read a scripture, listen to a scripture. For time & place call Judy Tinney at 705-569-2572.

**OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP AND SAINT PATRICK'S PARISHES** are open for regular Masses. St. Patrick's Parish (16 Miller Avenue, Cobalt) celebrates Sunday Mass on Saturdays at 5:00 P.M. and Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish (81 Maple Street North, New Liskeard) celebrates Sunday Masses on Sundays at 9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.. Please note that social distancing, masking and contact tracing protocols remain in place. Our Mother of Perpetual Help live streams their 11:00 A.M. Mass on Sundays on their Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NL/>. Father Wayne is available to distribute Communion or hear confessions by appointment, please call the office at 705-647-5035 to make an appointment.

**MARRIAGE COUNSELING - Love for a Lifetime** a free service of the church of Christ online at [www.bibletalk.tv](http://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.

**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](http://goodshepherdenglehart.yolasite.com)

**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](http://www.bibletalk.tv) or call Mike or Judy Tinney at 705-569-2572 church of Christ.

**EARLTON GOSPEL HALL WELCOMES YOU TO OUR WEEKLY SERVICES** Sunday at 10 a.m. Breaking of Bread Communion, 11:30 Gospel, 12:15 Sunday School. Wednesday, 7 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer meeting. 3 miles west of Earlton on Church Road.

**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.

**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH** in Englehart invites everyone to Sunday Mass at 9am.

**SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S EMMANUEL COMMUNITY CHURCH** (formerly Emmanuel United Church, Englehart) at 10am, every Sunday. Minister: Rev. Elaine Lush. All are welcome.

**ST. JAMES, COBALT** - corner of Nickel and Prospect St. Sunday 9am.

**HAILEYBURY & DISTRICT BAPTIST CHURCH** extends a warm welcome to all. Worship Sunday at 11am. Accessibility ramp. Call the church (705) 672-5855. [www.haileyburybaptist.ca](http://www.haileyburybaptist.ca)

**ENGLEHART BAPTIST CHURCH** - Corner of Second St., and 7th Ave. Family worship & bible based teachings every Sunday beginning at 10:30am. Stay for lunch! Bible study & prayer every Wednesday at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome. To reach the Pastor Rudy Kaufmann please call 705-544-0065 or 705-647-7697

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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](mailto: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)).

**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 9h30 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!



## SERVICES

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**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS MEETINGS:** To be held at various dates, times & locations. For more information, please call 705-647-7611.

**PRENATAL CLASSES** - Offered by the Timiskaming Health Unit. Call 705-647-4305 as soon as you confirm your pregnancy. For more info. visit [www.timiskaminghu.com](http://www.timiskaminghu.com).

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## NOTICES

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**ATTENTION KNITTERS:**If you would like to knit for children in the third world, we could use your help. Join us on Tuesdays at 1:30pm at the Community of Christ Church on Niven St., New Liskeard. Just bring knitting needles size 4 or 41/2mm. Yarn and needles are available. All are welcome! For more information, call D. Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

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## Camping advice to bear in mind

DISTRICT (Special) – Going camping this weekend?

Don't forget to pack some long ropes, a whistle and bear spray.

The Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry is reminding the public that they're in natural bear habitat when they're enjoying Ontario's campsites, lakes, forests and hiking trails.

It offers the following tips to avoid conflicts with bears while camping:

- Plan your trip with safety in mind by learning how to avoid attracting a bear.
- Teach children how to be Bear Wise and to never approach or run from a bear. Keep children between adults while hiking.
- Pack food carefully.
- Look for signs of bear activity near your campsite.
- Keep dogs on a leash. A bear may follow a dog back to its owner.
- Follow the advice set out by Ontario Parks or the private campground.
- Use bear-resistant containers or sealed plastic bags to store food when camping or in the backcountry.
- Use the ropes you packed to hang food at least four metres (13 feet) above the ground and three metres (10 feet) from tree limbs.
- Never eat, cook or store food, cooking equipment or toiletries in your tent.
- Clean fish away from your campsite.
- Burn scraps and fat droppings.
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