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Temiskaming Valley

Thornloe Cheese tops Royal spread

TORONTO (Staff) – A butter produced in Temiskaming using milk from grass-fed cows reigns again at the Royal Winter Fair.

Temiskaming Valley Grass Fed Butter took home first place in the grass-fed or organic unsalted category at the recent competition.

It's produced by Thornloe Cheese, using milk from Temiskaming dairy farms.

To meet the grass-fed criteria, a specific proportion of cows' diet must come from forages and grass, and cattle must also have access to outdoor grazing for at least part of the year.

The latest honour follows wins in 2018 and 2019, when the unsalted variety was named the Grand Champion butter at the Royal.

That title went this year to a Lactantia cultured variety produced in Eastern Ontario.

The Royal Fair, traditionally held in Toronto each November, describes itself as the world's largest combined indoor agricultural fair and international equestrian show.

Fairs in the recent past have attracted some 300,000 visitors.

But this year's Royal, like the 2020 edition, was forced to scale down and focus on online activities as a result of the pandemic.

However, many of its agricultural competitions went ahead.

In other dairy categories, Thornloe Cheese's Temiskaming Valley variety placed sixth in the class for grass-fed or organic salted butters.

Another Northeastern Ontario dairy company scored a Royal win.



HILLS 'N THRILLS

Carson Inglis, 12, and some of his family members were enjoying the hills, thrills and an occasional spill sliding near Ecole Ste. Croix in Haileybury on November 27. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

Saganash, a sheep's milk variety produced by Fromagerie Kapuskoise in Kapuskasing, placed third in a category for cheeses made from goat, sheep, water buffalo and mixed milks.

Products from a cheesemaker in neighbouring

Quebec, meanwhile, scored a bucketful of wins.

Fromagerie La Vache à Maillotte is located in La Sarre, about 80 kilometres north of Rouyn-Noranda.

Its Braséo variety was judged first in a class for cow's milk cheeses with grilling properties, and its salted butter placed fifth in its class.

It also won a seventh in the cow's milk flavoured cheese class and two eighth place finishes, one for its semi-soft surfaced Fredondaine variety and the other for its Allegretto sheep's milk variety.

As for next year's Royal, organizers hope to return to the traditional in-person event in 2022, when the winter fair marks its 100th anniversary.

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Watching closely
 Case counts rising, but no new measures for now

Cattle with a history staying in New Liskeard

Wrapped in Courage
 Raising the flag to end gender-based violence

DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?
 Here are some December 1 stories...

- As case counts of the COVID-19 virus continue to rise in the region, the acting medical officer of health encourages vaccinations for children aged five to 11 begin.
- A beef research herd of cows is back where they once belonged - or once grazed.
- Flags in Temiskaming Shores and Englehart were raised to acknowledge Women Abuse Prevention Month.
- The December 4 Englehart Christmas Parade is another event cancelled in the region due to the rising rates of COVID-19.
- The Town of Cobalt municipal office remains closed to the public after a council discussion on November 23.
- Local artist Berdina Beaven celebrates her 90th birthday and the fact the north region has been her main muse.
- The 2020 Harvest Queen, Emma Browne, exceeded her own personal goal of placing in the top five at the Miss North Ontario Regional Canada Scholarship Pageant held in Sudbury last weekend.
- Students at Elk Lake Public School were given a hot ride to school from the Elk Lake Volunteer Fire Department members.
- The Wilson Chevrolet Buick U11 Challenge Cup November 26-28 was a "great success," say organizers.
- Three losses last weekend for the New Liskeard Cubs means they go back to the drawing board to tweak their game for more offensive power.



ARRIVE ALIVE

Two Temiskaming Detachment Ontario Provincial Police constables set up a RIDE Program checkpoint in the south end of Cobalt on November 27. Constables Brian Teal, left, and Chad Butler stopped Coleman Township resident Joanne Cleroux, who happily complied with the procedure that aims to prevent impaired driving across the region this holiday season. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

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Country Christmas Fun December 11

Darlene Wroe
Speaker Reporter

INGRAM TOWNSHIP - The Rosborough Funny Farm on Elliott Road in Ingram Township (northeast of Tomstown) is holding its first Country Christmas Fun Day and community food drive on Saturday, December 11.

In the spirit of the season, admission to the farm will be non-perishable foods for area food banks.

Willard Bus Lines has loaned a bus for the event which is available to receive and transport donated items.

Even though there has been an upsurge in the number of active COVID cases in the region, as of The Speaker's deadline the event was still scheduled to proceed.

Consultation with the Timiskaming Health Unit has resulted in some modifications to the event, but people are still being welcomed. However, they are being asked to book first, and one-hour visits will be slotted to control numbers and ensure safety.

People can book a visit 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The day's last visit will end at 4 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus and the Grinch and elves will be available for socially distanced photographs with the children.

Visitors will also be able to say hello to the many farm animals that will be available for petting over the fence.

Cindy Craig Rosborough and her husband Paul Rosborough are owners of the farm, and are being assisted by Tracy Morrison.

Rosborough is a nurse currently focusing her full attention on the animals and their visitors. In an interview, she noted the benefits the animals have for people who are having a difficult time, such as grieving, or for those who have



Cindy Craig Rosborough is pictured here with one of the many friendly farm animals who will be welcoming visitors December 11 at Rosborough's Funny Farm in Ingram Township. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

challenges such as autism. The animals are very intuitive, she said, and some can sense the energy of the individual that is with them at the moment.

"We do a lot of therapy work with the horses and donkeys," said Rosborough as she moved from pen to pen, greeting the animals and speaking to each of them. The animals respond with equal affection.

The animals enjoy visits

from children and their families, and the farm is set up as a place to play and experience the outdoors among the animals.

The farm animals include a couple of very friendly dogs, cats, nine miniature horses, four donkeys, two alpacas, twelve goats, two pigs, one emu, one goose, two ducks, one turkey, ten rabbits, and ten

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Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Season of Kindness

Kindness can mean different things to different people. The meaning is in how YOU choose to show it. Be it through empathy, acceptance, kind gestures, thoughtfulness, the possibilities are entirely up to you. Kindness might look like being helpful or showing empathy. It may mean doing nice things without expecting nice things in return. Being kind is doing intentional, voluntary acts of kindness. Not only when it's easy to be kind, but also when it's hard.

Has someone ever done something kind for you and all you wanted to do after was pay it forward? That's because kindness is a chain reaction. It's a wave that keeps rolling, and all it needs is one person to start it. One small kind act can cause a ripple effect that impacts an entire community. If we are all focused on being kind, we are creating a movement of change. You know that famous "be the change you wish to see in the world" quote? That quote isn't just about change, and it isn't only about one person being able to change their world. It's bigger; it's about a movement that can be started from one person acting with intention.

We're going to come in contact with a lot of people who are at their absolute breaking point this month. Friends, family, neighbours, co-workers, teachers, strangers in the grocery store, retail workers. While it may be the merriest time of year for some, it may be the saddest, most stressful, loneliest, most heartbreaking for others.

We're all busy, but we're not too busy to be kind, caring and patient. Remember the best thing you can give someone this season is your kindness. Even the smallest act of kindness can make a big impact!

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The 10PM Mass at OMPH will be live-streamed on our Facebook Page

Cobalt (9 Miller Ave.) Christmas Eve: 8:00 P.M.
Registration is not required for this Mass. Parishioners will be welcomed on first come, first serve basis.

Masking, social distancing and contact tracing protocols are in place at both St. Pat's and OMPH. Proof of vaccination is not required.



May you have a blessed and holy Christmas.

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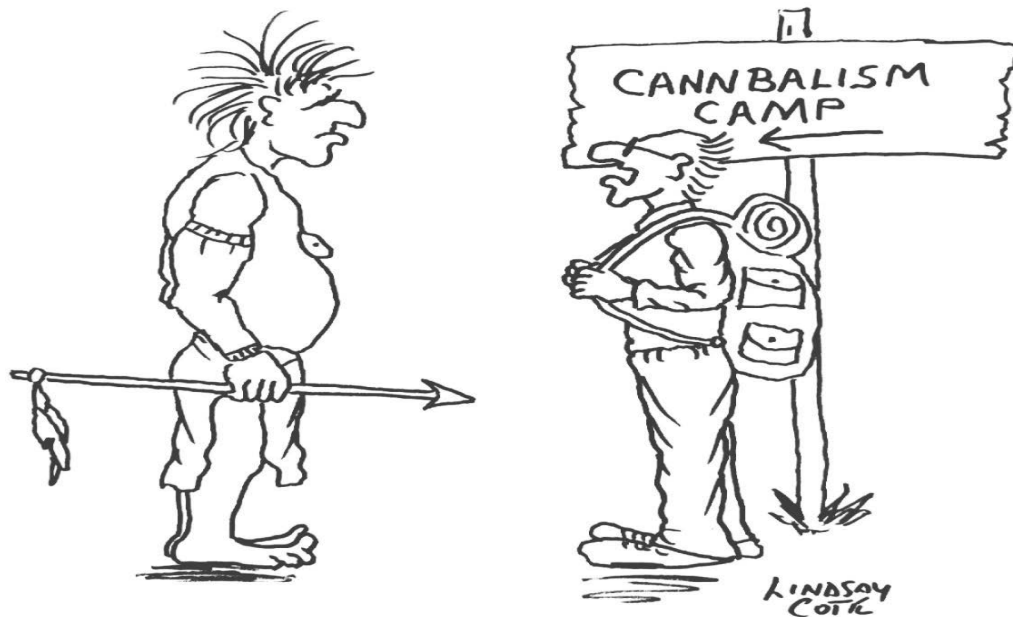
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EDITORIAL

Children's vaccines

Good news came when the Timiskaming Health Unit announced that children's vaccine clinics would begin this week.

The fact children's vaccines will be available in Ontario has thrilled some people and disappointed others.

But the science backing immunization and communicable disease over the last half decade should produce confidence.

Since English physician Edward Jenner first discovered that immunity to small pox could be achieved through vaccines, we have been able to bolster our body's immune systems to fight deadly diseases that have plagued us and killed millions of people worldwide.

It is abundantly clear that vaccines are not completely foolproof and that you can still catch COVID-19 despite being double vaccinated.

But they do offer a safe degree

of protection against the disease, especially for the immunocompromised and those with special health conditions.

Being double vaxxed reduces the risk of complications from COVID-19 and the rising numbers of children falling ill from the virus is of great concern.

For those contemplating having their children vaccinated, it is the right move.

For the people who do not believe in vaccinations, how does it sit with you if your child ends up in hospital struggling for life on a ventilator?

You are, however, free to make medical choices any way you like because we live in Canada.

All Canadians have benefited from immunization programs that have held in check polio, chicken pox, mumps, measles, tetanus, Hepatitis B and other communicable diseases.

A lift up



Sue Nielsen

By the time this column comes out it will be December.

My goodness, where has the time gone?

The holidays are fast approaching and then things become even busier.

The holidays magnify the things we all feel and see.

Love becomes more beautiful, hurts get more amplified, loss becomes more noticeable and loneliness is felt deeper within.

Let's remember when we are driving ourselves crazy trying to buy that perfect gift, decorate the house just right and planning the big feast that we keep some things in mind.

There is no perfect life, per-

fection is the voice of the oppressor.

Let's make sure we enjoy the holidays and hold the most important things close to our hearts.

I see the holidays as a springboard to the sacred.

The sacred are not the large screen televisions, the latest cellphones or the divisiveness in our communities we are seeing due to the pandemic.

The sacred are those we love, family, friends, coworkers, our neighbours and the people in our communities.

The holidays are the time to realize how important the people in our lives are to us.

But to also know that we are

all flawed, all imperfect and all struggling to meet the demands of a busy world in pandemic times.

As the Christian calendar goes, even Jesus Christ was flawed.

It is the imperfections of life that produce the love, Christ on the cross strikes a chord with us as well as the man and woman with a newborn baby wrapped in swaddling clothing looking for a place to sleep for the night.

Fortunately, the couple got a lift up from the innkeeper that night so long ago.

These have been hard days for so many in our region and maybe even in our own house-

holds.

But fortunately we have those who lift us up and make us feel like we have swallowed the sun.

When we are at our very best we are unstoppable.

This pandemic has made us dig deep and perhaps encouraged us to be bigger and better, to lift up rather than put down - as long as you don't read social media.

Putting the Christ back in Christmas has to do with good behavior.

What I have learned is everyone needs a champion, someone to believe in, to inspire.

There are so many wonder-

ful champions of goodness in our region, the service clubs, the churches, the food banks, the Christmas Wish people, the toy drives, the Bikers Reunion, the 100 Women Who Care and more.

Someone asked me recently if I believed in the power of prayer? Yes I do. While I am not a religious person I am a deeply spiritual woman.

My canoe is my cathedral, the water is my hymn and canoeists are my saints.

December only rolls around once a year and as poet Mary Oliver says, "Joy is not meant to be a crumb."



Council Meetings: The next Regular Council meeting will be held on Monday, December 13, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. Details of the meetings will be posted in advance of the meeting. Anyone interested in attending a meeting can call the Office to register.

Municipal Office:

The Office is open to in-person transactions with limitations. 1 person or members of the same household are allowed in the reception area at a time to access services. This will allow staff an opportunity to disinfect between customers in

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accordance with Public Health Guidelines. Information regarding the Roadmap to Reopen can be found on the Province's website at <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/public-health-measures>. The Township continues to encourage the use of internet payments through your financial institution, or by mailing cheques to the Municipal office. Residents can call the office at 705-679-8833 for assistance.

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Recycling: The December collection dates are on Tuesday, December 14 and 28, 2021.

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

By-law Enforcement: To report a property standards issue or if you want to report some illegal dumping or other by-law infraction, please contact the municipal office or Pete Gilboe directly at 705-648-3750.

Animal Control: For emergency animal control services, please contact the Animal Control Service Provider at 705-648-0040.

Township Holiday Hours:

The Municipal Complex will be closed from Friday, December 24, 2021, beginning at 12:00 noon and will reopen with regular hours on Monday, January 3rd, 2022.

The Municipal Waste site will be closed Saturday, December 25, 2021 and Saturday, January 1, 2022 and will then resume regular hours; The waste site will be open on Wednesday, December 29, 2021 during the holidays.

Garbage collection will be moved to Wednesday, December 29, 2021.

Recycling Collection will take place on Tuesday, December 28, 2021.

Employment Opportunities: The Corporation of the Township of Coleman is seeking a qualified Full time Equipment Operator within the Township's Public Works Department. The Equipment Operator is responsible for operating heavy equipment, maintenance of the Township's road network, roadway repairs and general labour duties. This position reports to the Public Works Foreman.

To see the full job ad and how to apply, please visit the Township's website at <https://www.colemantownship.ca/municipal-office/employment-opportunities/>.

The Weekender's 20th anniversary

By Gordon Brock



GORDON BROCK

This first Friday in December edition of the Weekender marks the 20th anniversary of this publication.

The Weekender made its first appearance with the issue of Friday, December 7, 2001.

As befitting a weekly publication that made its first appearance the first week of December the front page editorial content certainly reflected that. For example, the front-page photo was of six-month-old New Liskeard twins Ryan and Benjamin Bagg sitting on Santa's knee. In that era Santa could be found on weekends in December at the Timiskaming Square Mall.

The story underneath the photo was headlined "RIDE on patrol this weekend and throughout holiday season."

The other story on the page, the more prominent story, was headlined "Welcome to the Weekender" and it was boxed with a pink background.

Then-Weekender publisher, the late Dave Armstrong, is quoted in that story as saying, "In our effort to continue to provide news leadership in Temiskaming, The Weekender will allow us to provide households across the district with a second publication offering the same quality of award-winning journalism that The Speaker has maintained since 1906."

The Weekender started out in December of 2001 as a publication delivered free to district households.

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In the year 2001 some of the top news stories in our area included:

- Tri-Town councils press on and make progress with amalgamation talks.

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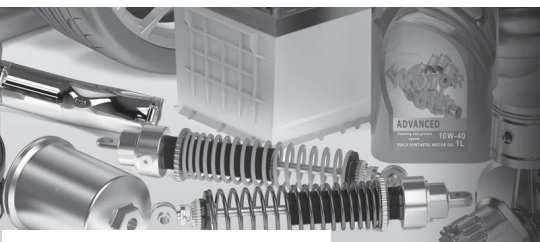
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- The Sharon Evans O'Shaughnessy mammography unit fundraiser reaches its goal of \$100,000 in five short months.

The Weekender editorial content in the beginning was made up of soft features and promotional pieces for community events. It evolved over the years where it contained weekend promos and personality features and top news stories in the district with council reports, political stories and various community organization reports.

The Weekender has also attracted a fair amount of letter writers commenting on stories that have appeared in The Weekender.

It's also now officially an award-winning paper thanks to recognition beginning in 2012 in categories ranging from Spot News to Headline Writing to General Excellence.

Yours truly was the editor of the Weekender since its inception in December of 2001 to the issue of February 17,

2017. This scribe's work appeared for the first few years on The Weekender's editorial page. Subsequent regular Weekender columnists in those early years were Karen Walker, Shannon Burrows and Jennifer Galliot.

In 2005 Sue Nielsen began her column writing on this page and is still going strong all these years later.

In fact, it can be, and has been said, Sue Nielsen's columns make The Weekender the read it is and the source of some of those letter writers.

Much of our world has indeed changed since that Christmas season of 2001.

Readers are thanked for their support of the Weekender and making it a weekly part of their lives.

(Gordon Brock was the editor of The Temiskaming Speaker from 1985 to 2017 and was also the editor of The Weekender from the first week of December in 2001 to February of 2017.)



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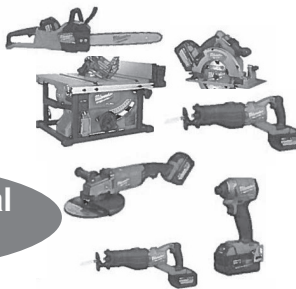


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FACE OF WINTER

Last week's dusting of snow in the region delighted Amelia Goodyear, 4, who did not mind having snow all over her face after taking a fast sleigh ride down the hill near Ecole St. Croix on November 27. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

Country Christmas Fun December 11

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chickens. Every one of them has a name, and each has a story.

The Rosborough Funny Farm is set on a hilltop overlooking a long expanse of farmland which stretches toward Englehart several miles to the west.

A 100-year-old windbreak of tall spruce trees beckons visitors to drive down the laneway to enjoy a delightful time with Hank, Hattie, Bailey, Nellie, Bessie, Flossy, Waylon, Ollie, Wally, Pearl, Buddy, Lucky and many more.

Many of the animals will happily wear red Christmas hats in honour of the season, and for pictures.

At other times of the year, visitors are welcome to come out to the Rosborough Funny Farm throughout the week (by appointment) and on the weekends from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. during the winter. Hours will be extended in the summer season.

Admission is \$10 per person, except on December 11, when admission will be a donation of non-perishable food.

The farm also offers distance visiting with interactive barnyard zoom experiences available.

The Rosborough Funny Farm is located at 284124 Elliott Road in Ingram Township which runs parallel, just to the north, of Highway 569 (the Tomstown Highway).

They can be reached on Facebook at the Rosborough Funny Farm to book a time through Messenger for the visit. She can also receive texts or phone calls at 705-622-4366.

Government marks 100th anniversary of insulin discovery

TORONTO (Special/Staff) – Insulin was discovered at a Toronto lab 100 years ago.

Diabetes Canada describes it as “the most revolutionary Canadian medical breakthrough of the 20th century.”

On November 12, the Government of Canada commemorated the anniversary, unveiling a plaque at the University of Toronto’s Myhal Centre for Engineering Innovation and Entrepreneurship that recognizes the discovery of insulin as an event of national historic significance.

“Today, we recognize and honour one of Canada’s most ground-breaking medical discoveries, and the role of Canadian researchers who helped save millions of lives around the world over the last 100 years,” said Brampton-South MP Sonia Sidhu in a statement.

The plaque and commemoration reflect “the rich and varied history of Canada and provides an opportunity for Canadians to discover and connect with our diverse

heritage,” Sidhu said.

Up until the early twentieth century, diabetes was a fatal disease.

In 1921-1922, a Canadian team of researchers at a University of Toronto laboratory – Frederick Banting, Charles Best, John J.R. Macleod, and James Collip – succeeded in producing extracts of pancreas that contained an effective anti-diabetic agent.

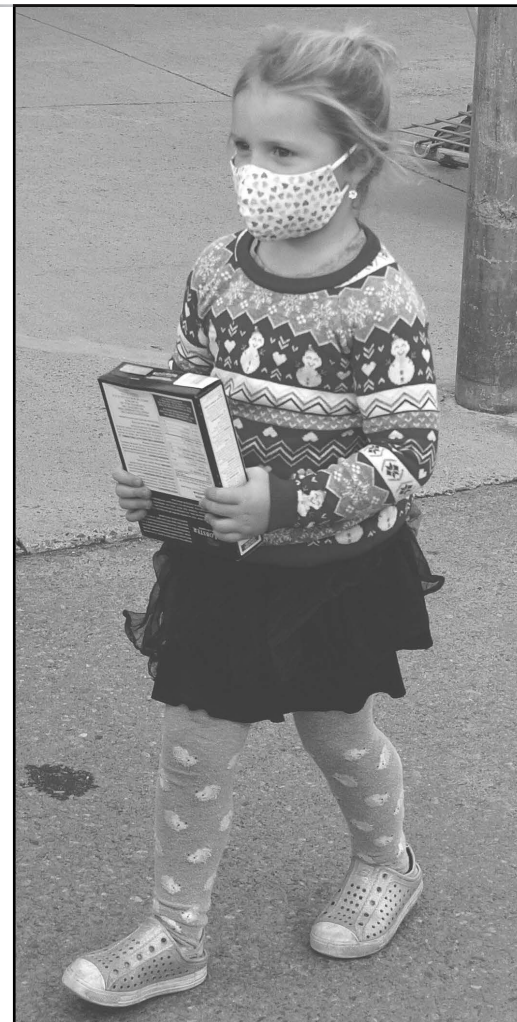
They named it insulin and presided over its development, revolutionizing the treatment for the once fatal disease.

In 1923, Banting and Macleod received a Nobel Prize in medicine for their work on the discovery of insulin, stimulating further medical research in Canada.

Diabetes Canada notes that one in three Canadians are living with diabetes or at risk of developing it, and some will experience serious and even life-threatening complications from diabetes in their lifetime.

FILLING THE PLOW

Four-year-old Charlotte Caron bravely marched up all by herself to make a donation to the Fill The Plow food drive on November 13. The event was hosted by the Miller Paving Maintenance Division at Chartrand’s Your Independent Grocer as a way to help stock the shelves at the Haileybury Food Bank. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)



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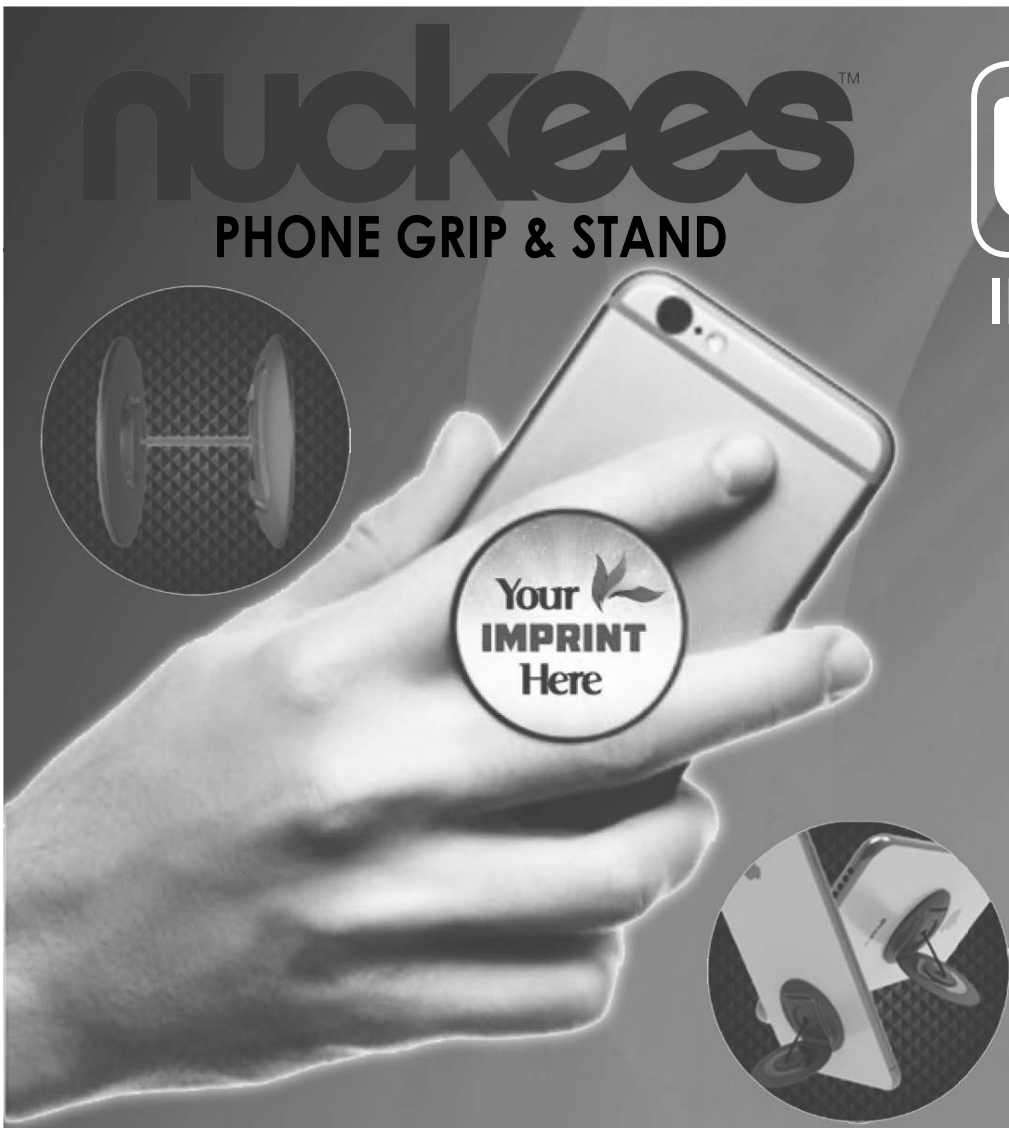
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Horoscopes

CAPRICORN

You'll challenge yourself to gather the whole family together and throw a big party to make up for last year. As an artist, you'll have plenty of inspiration to draw upon as you create your own work.



December 22 - January 19

AQUARIUS

There's an artist within you that will awaken in a pretty spectacular way. If your head is in the clouds, write down any ideas that come to mind so that you can bring them to life one day. Otherwise, they'll be lost forever.



January 20 - February 18

PISCES

You'll receive a whole host of invitations, and you'll be more than happy to accept every one of them, even if you feel like you're a candle burning at both ends. Some rest will be needed when all's said and done.



February 19 - March 20

ARIES

If you have a big holiday celebration planned for this year, you'll need to keep on top of the planning. Time will be in short supply, but you'll be able to pull it off. In love, it's the little things that ensure the longevity of a relationship.



March 21 - April 19

TAURUS

You'll need to fly away from the nest to make great discoveries. The new year is coming up, and it's already inspiring you to get a fresh start. By signing up for a few courses, you'll open more doors for your future.



April 20 - May 20

GEMINI

A special person or situation will move you. At work, you'll find that any changes that arise will prove beneficial to you. If you're single, you'll be surprised to find love when you least expect it.



May 21 - June 21

CANCER

You'll be easy to get along with. You're not afraid to take on projects at work, and you'll agree to organize a few of the upcoming events. You'll be worried about a conflict in the family.



June 22 - July 22

LEO

You'll find yourself taking the lead at work while your boss takes a well-earned vacation. This will have a positive impact on your career. If your relationship is lacking affection, it could eventually cause your feelings to fade too.



July 23 - August 22

VIRGO

You'll be in the spotlight for one reason or another. In particular, you could save someone, if only by lending them a sympathetic ear. You'll get recognition for all that you do.



August 23 - September 22

LIBRA

You'll spare no expense when it comes to gifts for your loved ones. You're in a generous mood, and this will have a positive impact on your well-being. You'll need to give a family project some more thought.



September 23 - October 22

SCORPIO

It's not easy to maintain an interesting social life when work is so demanding. You need to let loose, so don't hesitate to accept an invitation to go out and join in on a few activities with loved ones.



October 23 - November 21

SAGITTARIUS

You'll get your hands on some extra money, and you'll be sure to treat yourself. Whether you're buying a property or starting a business, you'll finally get the green light to finance your project.



November 22 - December 21

ACROSS

1. _____ off (furious)
5. Steeped brew
8. Bullets, to a GI
12. Own
13. Hooter
14. Go in front of
15. Capitalizes on
16. Tattler
18. Compete
20. Bellows
21. Bettor
24. Hugs
27. Young women
31. Silent okay
32. In what manner?
33. He walks a beat
34. Loosen by turning
37. Teeny's partner
39. Rowers
41. Jane Fonda's dad
44. Kind of type
48. Animals that play dead
51. Secret language
52. Provide
53. Pad
54. Sycamore, e.g.
55. Shout to a cat
56. Intrude
57. Black and Bering

DOWN

1. Therefore
2. Atlantic area
3. Without end
4. Pattern

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CROSSWORD

Answers For Crossword on 16

5. Indian pole emblem
6. Meadow mother
7. ___ aboard!
8. Modifies
9. Dinner, e.g.
10. Shopping spot
11. Certain poems
17. Corrosive liquids
19. Cauldron
22. Gusts
23. Judge's field
24. Type of antelope
25. Charged particle
26. Sponsors' words
28. Hard water
29. Long time
30. 007, e.g.
32. That lady
35. Old-time undergarment
36. Sunbeams
37. Soaked
38. Makes into a statute
40. Hazy
41. Swine
42. Legendary
43. PBS science show
45. Folk tales
46. Brainchild
47. Third letters
49. Ref's cousin
50. Deface

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RECREATION UPDATE

FACILITIES

- The Pool and Fitness Centre Gym is **OPEN**
 - o Mask use is required
 - o Physical Distancing is required.
 - o Changerooms and showers are open and available for use.
- The Pool and Fitness Centre Pool is **OPEN**
 - o Join us for public swimming on Saturdays and Sundays at 1:15pm and 2:45pm
 - o Our full schedule is available at www.temiskamingshores.ca/poolschedule/
 - o The pool is operating at decreased capacity
 - o Mask use and physical distancing is required
- Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena and Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena are **OPEN**.
 - o Everyone must wear a mask, and fill out the COVID-19 screening and contact tracing form.
 - o Facility Capacity is 50 participants and 250 spectators

VACCINE CERTIFICATION

- Proof of Vaccination for COVID-19 will be required to enter the PFC, Municipal Arenas and Municipals Halls.
- Full clarification of the City's COVID-19 vaccination policy is available on the City of Temiskaming Shores website.

Council and Committee MEETINGS

Council and Committee Meetings

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, December 7, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m. – City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, December 21, 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

In consideration of the current COVID-19 pandemic and prevailing public health orders limiting large public gatherings of people within indoor public spaces, and requirements for physical distancing between persons, in-person attendance at Council meetings may be limited and/or restricted from time-to-time.

Question and Answer Periods during a regular meeting of Council are an opportunity for members of the Public to submit questions pertaining to an item on the Agenda, or the business of Council.

Members of the public who wish to submit questions to Council at a Regular Council Meeting during a Declared Emergency, may submit in writing or via email to questions@temiskamingshores.ca. The questions received will be read aloud and responded to during the Question and Answer Periods.

Emailed questions will be received until the second Question and Answer Period. Questions received after this time, will not be read aloud at the Meeting. Note: Correspondence sent to the Mayor and Council may be included in a Council agenda/package, and become part of the public record.

Comments or questions submitted via the City of Temiskaming Shores Facebook page, will not be considered, and the moderator of the live-streamed Meeting may remove any and all comments.

For further information, contact Logan Belanger

705-672-3363 Ext. 4136 or lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca

TEMISKAMING SHORES PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARY REGULAR HOURS

Mondays: 10-4; Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays: 10-8; Fridays and Saturdays: 10-4

LIBRARY CHRISTMAS HOURS:

Friday, December 24: 10-2; Saturday, December 25: Closed; Sunday, December 26: Closed; Monday, December 27: Closed; Tuesday, December 28-Thursday, December 30: 10-8; Friday, December 31: 10-2; Saturday, January 1: Closed; Sunday, January 2: Closed

Back to regular hours on Monday, January 3, 2022

Visitors to the library will need to self-screen for COVID-19 symptoms upon entering the building, wear a facemask, sanitize 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. The library does take contact information for people who remain in the library building for more than fifteen minutes. This information is kept confidential, is only given to the Temiskaming Health Unit upon request, and is shredded after 30 days.

Weekend Book Sales

The library will be hosting weekend book sales on Fridays and Saturdays in the lower level of the library. Sales are Pay-as-you-Please—just put a donation in the donation

box! Fridays and Saturdays from 10-4

Meeting Room Rental for Community Organizations

The library is opening its meeting room for rental. The room is available to be booked by community groups for meetings of up to 15 people. All attendees must show proof of full vaccination, and must wear masks at all times in the room as per the Library's Mandatory Mask Policy. Currently there is no food or drink allowed in the room. Videoconferencing equipment to facilitate hybrid meetings is available, using the Logitech Rally system. Rates for use of the meeting room are \$30 for up to four hours or \$60 for a day. Meetings must be booked in advance and take place within the library's normal operating hours. For more information contact the library at 705-647-4215

Hudson Township Partial Membership Reimbursement

Great News! Hudson Township Council has agreed to reimburse their residents \$50 towards the purchase of a Temiskaming Shores Public Library membership card. Ask for a receipt when you sign up for or renew your me

Christmas Craft Take Away Bag

Starting on December 1st we will have a take away Christmas craft for kids to pick up and do at home. These kits will provide all of the materials to create a Watercolour Salt Painting with a winter/Christmas theme. Swing by the library and pick one up for a really neat Christmas craft!

AGE FRIENDLY/GET ACTIVE PROGRAMS.

Proof of vaccination is required as of September 22nd for any indoor activity, including our coffee hour.

Contact Lynn Marcella for information at 705-647-5709 or lmarella@temiskamingshores.ca

Mondays – Mix Pickleball: 2:00pm – December 6th, 13th and 20th, New Liskeard Community Hall

Tuesdays – Women’s Exerc. Group (registration required): 9:00am – December 7th and 14th Shelley Herbert-Shea Arena

Beginner Line Dancing (registration required): 10:00am – December 7th and 14th New Liskeard Community Hall

Wednesday – Public Skating: 12:30pm – December 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena

Thursdays – Women’s Exerc. Group (registration required): 9:00am – December 2nd, 9th and 16th, Shelley Herbert-Shea Arena

Inter. Line Dancing (registration required): 11:00am – December 2nd, 9th and 16th, Shelley Herbert Shea Arena

Crib/Euchre: 1:00pm – December 2nd, 9th and 16th at the Dymond Community Hall

Fridays – \$3 Bowling: 1:30pm – December 10th and 17th, Tri-Town Bowling Lanes, 331 Main Street, Haileybury

Mix Pickleball: 9:00am – December 3rd, 10th and 17th, New Liskeard Community Hall

DECK THE HALLS WITH FIRE SAFETY!

Decorate your home with these **Fire Safety Tips** throughout the holidays.

Cooking is the leading cause of fires during the holidays. **Always stay in the kitchen while cooking!**

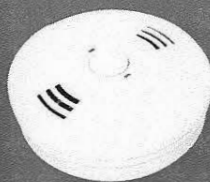
Keep **candles** in a **sturdy holder** away from children, pets and anything that can burn. **Blow them out** before leaving the room.

Smoking is the leading cause of fatal fires during the holidays. Butt out cigarettes in **large, deep ashtrays**.

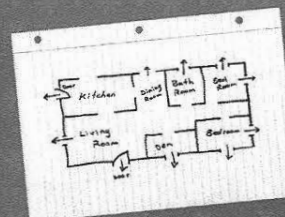
Alcohol is a factor in approximately one in five fatal fires during the holidays. **Drink responsibly.**

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Temiskaming Shore Fire Dept.
Jocelyn Plante Fire Prevention Officer
705-672-3363

**Office of the Fire Marshal and
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ontario.ca/firemarshal

Arrive alive! STAY SOBER WHEN YOU DRIVE.

How to prevent impaired driving over the holidays



The number of impaired driving collisions dramatically increases over the holiday season. Here are a few tips to make sure neither you nor the people you care about get behind the wheel while under the influence.

ATTENDING A PARTY

If you're attending a holiday shindig, make sure to choose someone to be a designated driver. If this person ends up consuming drugs or alcohol, play it safe by calling a cab or using a ridesharing service. You could also plan to rent a room at a nearby hotel or sleep over at a friend's house to avoid getting behind the wheel.

HOSTING A PARTY

If you're hosting a holiday party, there are a few precautions you can take to make sure your guests don't drive while under the influence of drugs or alcohol. For example, serve plenty of food and provide alcohol-free beverages throughout the night. In addition, offer your spare bedroom or couch to anyone who wants to stay the night, or pre-arrange cab rides for those who need a lift.

TIPS FOR THE ROAD

When driving home from a holiday shindig, keep an eye out for the following warning signs that another driver might be under the influence of drugs or alcohol:

- They're making wide, abrupt or illegal turns
- They have a slow or delayed reaction time to traffic lights and signs
- They're driving unreasonably fast, slow or at an inconsistent speed
- They're continuously weaving, swerving or drifting out of their lane

If you suspect you're driving behind an impaired driver, slow down, stay behind them and, when it's safe to do so, pull over and call 911.

Additionally, impaired driving accidents that result in fatalities are more likely to happen very late at night or early in the morning. Therefore, try to avoid being on the road between midnight and 3 a.m.

Enjoy the Holidays...
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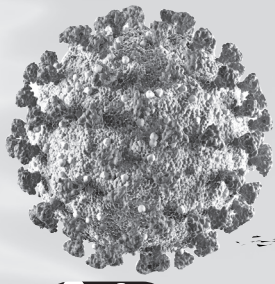
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COVID-19 phone line/ligne de COVID-19: 705-647-4305, extension/poste 7

ARE THE COVID-19 VACCINES SAFE? LES VACCINS CONTRE LA COVID-19 SONT-ILS SÛRS?

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Most side effects are mild and go away after a few days.



La plupart des effets secondaires sont légers et disparaissent après quelques jours.

CLINQUES COVID-19 CLINICS COMMUNITY CLINICS | Cliniques communautaires à compter

Date	Community Communauté	Time Heures
Monday, December 6 lundi 6 décembre	New Liskeard - Old Movie Gallery*	12 - 2 p.m. 12h à 14h
	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	12 - 5 p.m. 12h à 17h
Tuesday, December 7 mardi 7 décembre	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	12 - 2 p.m. 12h à 14h
	New Liskeard - Old Movie Gallery*	12 - 5 p.m. 12h à 17h
Thursday, December 9 jeudi 9 décembre	Englehart Arena - Upstairs	11:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. 11h30 à 18h
Monday, December 13 lundi 13 décembre	New Liskeard - Old Movie Gallery*	12 - 4 p.m. 12h à 16h
Tuesday, December 14 mardi 14 décembre	Englehart Arena - Upstairs	12 - 4 p.m. 12h à 16h
Thursday, December 16 jeudi 16 décembre	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	12 - 4 p.m. 12h à 16h

FOR CHILDREN 5 TO 11 YEARS OLD | POUR LES ENFANTS DE 5 À 11 ANS

Date	Community Communauté	Time Heures
Thursday, December 2 jeudi le 2 décembre	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	12:30 - 7:00 p.m. 12h30 à 19h
	New Liskeard Old Movie Gallery*	12:30 - 7:00 p.m. 12h30 à 19h
Monday, December 6 lundi 6 décembre	New Liskeard Old Movie Gallery*	3 - 7:00 p.m. 15h à 19h
Tuesday, December 7 mardi 7 décembre	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	3 - 7:00 p.m. 15h à 19h
Thursday, December 9 jeudi 9 décembre	Englehart Arena (Upstairs)	2:30 - 6:00 p.m. 14h30 à 18h
Monday, December 13 lundi 13 décembre	New Liskeard Old Movie Gallery*	5 - 6 p.m. 17h à 18h
	CSCT Earlton	5 - 7 p.m. 17h à 19h
Tuesday, December 14 mardi 14 décembre	Englehart Arena (Upstairs)	5 - 6 p.m. 17h à 18h
Wednesday, December 15 mercredi 15 décembre	CSCT Kirkland Lake	5 - 8:30 p.m. 17h à 20h30
	CSCT New Liskeard	5 - 8:30 p.m. 17h à 20h30
Thursday, December 16 jeudi 16 décembre	Kirkland Lake Heritage North	5 - 6 p.m. 17h à 18h

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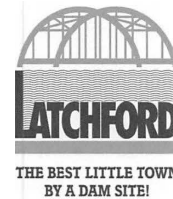
Please address your resume to the attention of Patrick Cormier, CAO/Clerk-Treasurer, no later than **4:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 15, 2021** by mail, email, fax or in person to the address below:

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In accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, personal information is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, and will only be used for candidate selection. The Township of Coleman is an equal opportunity employer. Accommodation will be provided in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code for all parts of the recruiting process. Applicants need to make their needs known in advance. We thank all persons for applying; however, only those being considered for an interview will be contacted.

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Deadline for applications is December 20th 2021 at 3:00pm.

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Fr. Wayne Mills is available to hear confessions and give out Communion by appointment. Please call the office at 705-647-5035 to make an appointment.

TOMSTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Invites you to worship services on the third Sunday of the month at 10:00 a.m. PLEASE NOTE that mask wearing is mandatory.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH wishes to extend an invitation to join weekly services held every Sunday. 51 Wellington St. North New Liskeard, 10:30am, Pastor George Paraskevopoulos officiating. Now fully accessible with an outside ramp & inside hydraulic lift elevator. For more information, call 705-647-8401 or visit our website www.presbyteriannewliskeard.ca

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.

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](https://www.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.

CHURCH SERVICES & more...

OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish will be hosting its monthly Holy Hour for vocations to the priesthood and religious life on **Wednesday, November 24th at 7PM at 7:00 P.M.** in the Church. This is one small way that we can help encourage and foster vocations within the Church. All are welcome! For further information call the office at 705-647-5035.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish will be hosting Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on **Friday, November 26th from 11:30 P.M. until 12:30 P.M.** in the Church. All are welcome to come and spend some quiet time with the Lord in prayer. For further info, contact the office at 705-647-5035.

BAPTISM COURSE: Our Mother of Perpetual Help will hold a Baptism Preparation course in the parish hall (81 Maple Street North, New Liskeard) on **Tuesday, November 23rd at 7:00 P.M.** This is a one night course for parents who wish to have their child baptised in the Catholic church. No registration is required, simply show up. All attending must wear masks and show proof of double vaccination.

COMMUNION AND SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Wayne is available to give out Communion and hear confessions by appointment. Please call the office, 705-647-5035, to make arrangements

HILLVIEW PIONEER MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH AND ST. PAULS UNITED CHURCH ARE HOSTING JOINT SERVICES every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. September services will be held at St. Pauls and then October services at Hillview. For more information call 705-647-5655 or 705-647-4171.

MASS TIMES: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish in New Liskeard, on **Sundays at 9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.** and St. Patrick's Parish in Cobalt, Saturdays at 5:00 P.M.. Please note that masks, social distancing and contact tracing protocols remain in place.

LIVE-STREAMED MASS: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish live-streams their Sunday Mass on 11:00 A.M.. On their Facebook page: <http://www.facebook.com/OMPH.NLParish>.

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>.

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.

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

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

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

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

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.

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

ÉGLISE CATHOLIQUE SAINTE CROIX est ouverte pour célébrer la messe du mardi au samedi matin à 9:30, le samedi soir à 19h et le dimanche matin à 10h. Veuillez noter que la distanciation physique de deux mètres (six pieds) est toujours exigée et que le port de masque est obligatoire. L'église Sainte-Croix est située à 341 Sutherland Way, Haileybury - 705-672-3296. Bienvenue à tous!



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