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Gibson resigns from mayor's seat in Cobalt

Darlene Wroe

Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

COBALT - Cobalt council has accepted the resignation of Mita Gibson from the position of mayor.

The town now has 60 days to fill the vacancy or declare an election.

The resignation was accepted at council's April 18 meeting without discussion.

Acting Mayor Doug Wilcox read the resignation letter publicly. It was dated April 6 but contained no comment other than Gibson's decision to resign.

On April 4 an integrity commissioner's report was reviewed at the Cobalt committee-of-thewhole meeting, and council penalized Gibson with two month's docked remuneration because of her actions which resulted in the loss of the former library board.

Approximately 45 members of the public were present for the April 18 meeting and the acceptance of the resignation was greeted with applause from throughout the gathering.

Town manager Steven Dalley outlined avenues the town could take to fill the position.

A by-election could be held, but that would be the most costly and time-consuming route, he said.

Council could appoint from within to fill the mayor's seat, and declare a councillor's seat vacant, he said.

Council could go back to the mayoral candidates from the October municipal election and appoint the next person in line. Former councillor Angela Adshead placed second to Gibson in that race.

Acting Mayor Doug Wilcox also noted the town could advertise and request expressions of interest.

Councillor Harry Cooper stated he would like to see council go to the general public to ask for applications to see if anyone is interested in the mayor's

Councillor Angela Hunter commented she is "concerned that we very recently have had our election and the public did vote." By asking if other people are interested in the position, the town would be bringing forward candidates "who the public didn't have a chance to vet. It's four years and people did



SPRING SKATE

Students from École catholique St-Michel – including, from left, Jailee Gosselin, Ava Osborne and Kinley Barron – took to the ice last week for Club Richelieu Timiskaming's Skate-a-thon. What had been an annual fundraiser resumed this spring after three years of pandemic cancellation. More than 400 kids from French-language schools in Temiskaming Shores took part this year, with proceeds split between the club and the schools. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

have a chance to step forward" for the position during the recent election, she pointed out.

Along with Adshead, Rod Prior and Mike Harrison ran for the mayor's position in the last municipal election.

Wilcox suggested that one option would be to open the position to all previous candidates and all retired mayors.

The vacancy will be discussed further at council's next committee-of-the-whole meeting on May 2.





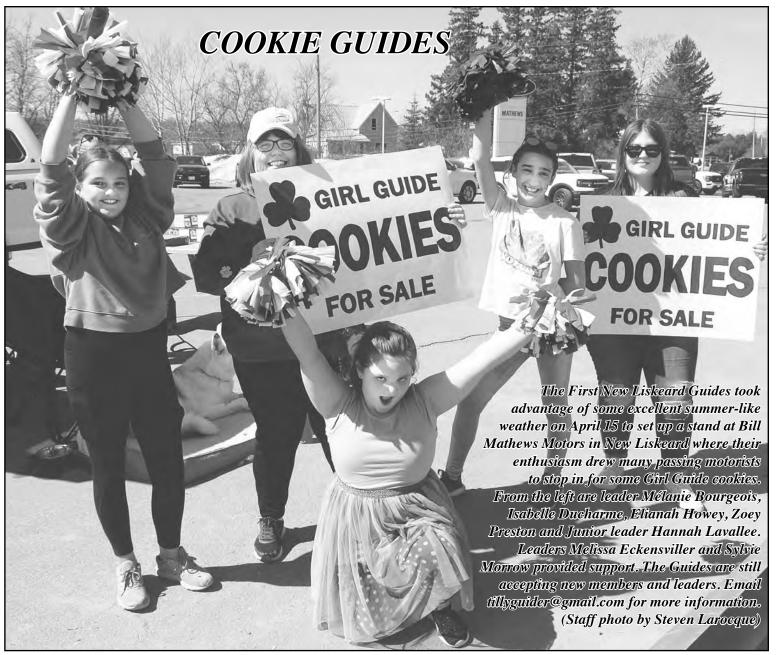
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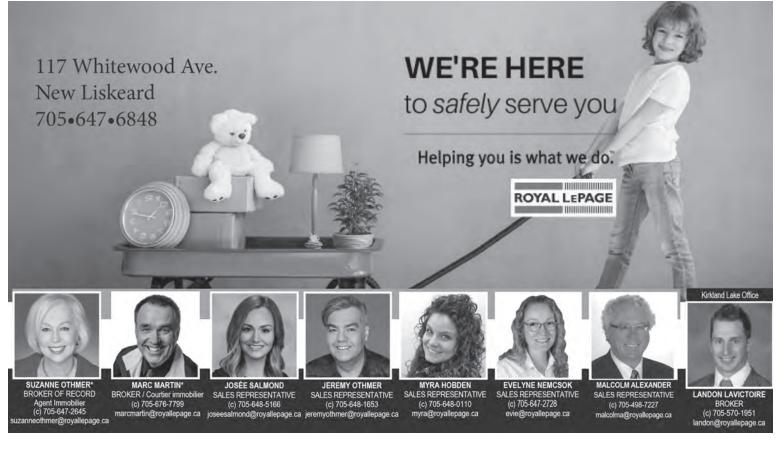
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DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK? Here are some April 19, 2023 stories...

- In the wake of recent crashes in the region, Timiskaming's MPP is calling for improved training for commercial drivers.
- Ontario's agriculture minister dropped by the Earlton Farm Show and announced \$100,000 for a study and expansion of the North's local food network.
- · And in addition to the minister, more than 3,800 visitors were estimated to have dropped by the show, the first held since 2019.
- The cost to upgrade the Temagami North sewage lagoon by adding a UV filtration system continues to rise.
- The Festival des Folies Franco-Fun returns for one day only April 27 after a pandemic suspension.
- · Lindsay Cote, who is The Weekender's cartoonist, has released his first book - Spirit
- In sports, Ontario Women's Hockey Association provincial gold medals were earned by the Veterinary Services U13 Puckhounds and the Scotiabank U11C Puckhounds.
- Two other teams, meanwhile, were heading off to search for Ontario Hockey Federation gold - the New Liskeard Lions in U18A play in South Porcupine and the Pedersen Construction Puckhounds at the U13A championships in Essex-Southpoint.





Northeastern **OPP** report tragic tally on Easter weekend

NORTH BAY (Staff/Special) - Three people, including two in Temiskaming, lost their lives in collisions in Northeastern Ontario over the Easter weekend period.

Two people were killed in an April 9 collision on Highway 11 north of Englehart involving two transport trucks.

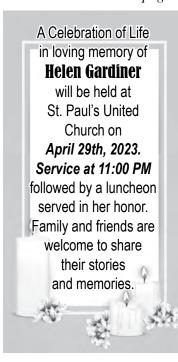
Both individuals – a 25-yearold from Mississauga and a 26-year-old from Brampton, who were in a southbound commercial vehicle - were pronounced dead at the scene of the crash in Chamberlain Township.

The Ontario Provincial Police are no longer routinely releasing the names of people killed in traffic and marine-related incidents.

The collision remains under investigation.

The Northeastern OPP report the third death in the region involved a snowmobile.

In a news release, police note that officers were busy Continued on page 9





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EDITORIAL

She shoots, she scores!

Temiskaming Shores Hockey Association Minor (TSMHA) can be proud of the girls hockey teams that just competed in the Ontario Women's Hockey Association (OWHA) provincial championships in Toronto.

All four teams returned home with podium finishes.

The Scotiabank U11C and the Temiskaming Vet Services U13B teams won gold medals.

The Brownlee Equipment U15B team brought home a silver medal and the RTMI U18BB team won bronze.

Let's put this in perspective shall we?

The Puckhounds competed against the best girls teams in the province and came home winners.

There is no doubt that Temiskaming Shores is a hotbed of hockey pride with the girls program.

It can also be noted that girls hockey is alive and scoring in our region but across the north as well in Timmins, North Bay and Sudbury.

According to the latest Hockey Canada report, 51,465 girls were registered for hockey in Ontario in 2019-20, representing 21 per cent of the province's hockey registrations.

It seems equity exists whereby the girls teams are accessing quality ice times the same as the boys teams.

And that those ice time hours aren't early in the morning or late at night because when girls have access to rinks they will be more involved with the game.

Perhaps the fastest demographic in hockey is female players.

Canada has set the bar high in terms of successful role models in our women's national team, inspiring generations of girls to aspire to a higher level of play.

The success of the girls hockey program can be traced back to the volunteers, often the parents who coach, manage and act as trainers for the teams.

Nature is a gift

"The sedge is withered from the lake, and no birds sing."

John Keats

We sleep, eat and enjoy our lives on this planet, despite the problems, the politics and the differences between us.

What we know for sure is the earth is our rock, our home.

As we approach Earth Day (April 22), I celebrate the day because I know nature is a gift.

From the spectacular northern sunsets, to the birds, the waterways and the amazing night skies, this country and region is so beautiful.

We all need silence and time away from computers and machines to clear out our heads and hearts.

Whether we take a walk through an old-growth forest breathing in the perfume of pine needles, the original essential oil, or hear the spring bird song, it is good medicine for our well-being.

Having nature in our lives is a gift and so necessary for our peace of mind and stability.

That Turtle Island still has green areas is a bonus, but we must be diligent in protecting our natural spaces.

It would seem the powers that be in Ontario are fast tracking the shredding of environmental protection, when one of the biggest challenges we face is global warming.

I know very little about big business or the lobbying of government officials, but I do know wetlands are where birds, turtles and animals live.

Wetlands are vital to protecting watersheds - from the way they clean and filter water to the way they prevent erosion and flooding.

Leaving conservation in the hands of leaders who look to the next election rather than the present state of our natural spaces is not good.

I am not averse to development and progress, but it has to be done in environmentally friendly ways.

One day while paddling a green shoreline I saw someone removing every last bit of grass and greenery on his shoreline.

He may not have known a family of mallard ducks return every year to nest and raise their babies in that location.

He may not have been aware of other shoreline birds visiting that small wetlands for their food source. And little did he know at roughly seven in the morning and seven at night, the Great Blue Heron stops there to fish for its food source.

He may not have seen the painted turtles sunning themselves on that log he just vanked out of the water.

This is a person who asked me where all the wildlife on the lake had gone.

Let's resolve to protect natural spaces in 2023 shall we?

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the right thing to do but it is in the best interests of humanity.

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Monday, May 1, 2023 Monday, May 15, 2023 Monday, May 29, 2023

All meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

FIRE PERMITS

Reminder to Coleman Residents: Fire Season Begins April 1st - NO DAYTIME BURNING ALLOWED Fire Permits for open air burning are required effective April 1, 2023.

For questions, additional information or to book an inspection with our Fire Prevention Officer please contact the Municipal Office at 705-679-8833.

2023 SPRING CLEAN-UP WEEK

The 2023 Spring Clean-up Week will occur from May 23-May 27, 2023.

OPEN Dump Hours during this period will be 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

For pick-up of materials, please place your items at the end of you driveway NO LATER than 7 a.m. on Tuesday, May 23, 2023.

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Spring COVID-19 Booster Campagne de printemps pour une dose de rappel du vaccin contre la COVID-19



It is recommended that Individuals in the following high-risk groups book an appointment for a spring COVID-19 booster if it has been at least six months since their last dose or confirmed COVID-19 infection:

- Individuals aged 65+
- Residents of long-term care homes, retirement homes, Elder Care Lodges, and other congregate living settings for seniors;
- Individuals aged 18 years and older living in a congregate care setting for people with complex medical care needs;
- Pregnant individuals;
- Individuals aged 18+ who are moderately to severely immunocompromised; and
- Individuals aged 55+ who identify as First Nations, Inuit, or Métis and their non-Indigenous household members 55+.

Individuals 5 years and older who have not yet received a booster dose since September 1, 2022, remain recommended to receive a booster dose if it has been at least six months since their last dose or confirmed COVID-19 infection.

Recommendations for other individuals who are not high-risk and have already received a booster since September 1, 2022, will be available closer to Fall 2023.

de rappel printanière du vaccin contre la COVID-19 s'il s'est écoulé au moins six mois depuis leur dernière dose ou infection confirmée à la COVID-19 : les personnes âgées de 65 ans et plus; les résidents des foyers de soins de longue durée, des maisons de retraite, des

Il est recommandé aux personnes faisant partie des groupes qui suivent

présentant un risque élevé de prendre rendez-vous pour recevoir une dose

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- les personnes âgées de 18 ans et plus qui habitent dans un milieu de soins collectif destiné aux personnes ayant besoin de soins médicaux complexes;
- les personnes enceintes;
- les personnes âgées de 18 ans et plus qui ont une immunodépression de modérée à grave;
- les personnes âgées de 55 ans et plus qui s'identifient en tant que membre des Premières Nations, en tant qu'Inuits ou en tant que Métis et les membres non autochtones de leur ménage âgés de 55 ans et plus.

Il demeure recommandé aux personnes de cinq ans et plus qui n'ont pas encore reçu de dose de rappel depuis le 1er septembre 20022 de recevoir une dose de rappel s'il s'est écoulé au moins six mois depuis leur dernière dose ou infection confirmée à la COVID-19.

Les recommandations concernant les autres personnes qui ne présentent pas de risque élevé et qui ont déjà reçu une dose de rappel depuis le 1er septembre seront accessibles à l'automne 2023.

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- Réservez en ligne à https://covid-19.ontario.ca/rendezvous-vaccin ou appelez 866-747-4305, poste 6.
- En raison de la capacité limitée, des rendez-vous sont recommandés.
- Les pharmacies participantes offrent également des vaccins contre la COVID-19: https://covid-19.ontario.ca/emplacements-pour-la-vaccination.

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Top ten cars models involved in DUIs

DISTRICT (Special) – In Ontario, more than 350 people died as a result of a collision on provincial roads last year, with alcohol or drugs one of the highest contributing factors.

Driving under the influence (DUI) is a serious offence that endangers not only the driver and their passengers but also other drivers and pedestrians as well. It also has a serious impact on your insurance premiums should you be charged and convicted.

In Ontario, if convicted of a DUI, drivers face a license suspension for at least a year, fines that can exceed \$1,000 as well as potential jail time. A DUI conviction stays on a drivers' record for a minimum of three years in Ontario and can lead to insurance premiums doubling and worse, some insurers may even cancel coverage,

My Choice, an insurance rate comparison company, referred to their database of over 100,000 insurance quotes to identify which car models were involved with DUIs in 2022.

The top ten car models in Ontario with the most DUIs are:

- 1. Ford Escape XLT with 2.31 per cent of total DUIs
- 2. Honda Civic EX with 1.64 per cent
- 3. Mitsubishi Lancer GTS 1.10 per cent
- 4. Honda CR-V LX 4DR 1.05 per cent
- 5. Honda Civic EX Coupe with 0.69 per cent

Finishing off the top ten are the Ford Escape XLT V6 4DR 4WD, SAAB 9-3 Sport, Kia Forte SX, Honda Civic DX, and Volkswagen Taos Trendline.

Tips to age in place in your own home

TORONTO (NC) – Canadians are increasingly hearing a phrase that could shift how they view home designs – "aging in place."

The point of this concept is to spend your golden years in your family home rather than a seniors' home or assisted living facility.

People change as they get older, and your house may also need to evolve.

A health-care professional like an occupational therapist (OT) can assess your needs and help with the appropriate modifications, so you can keep living independently in your home.

Here are some tips that can help you stay home safely.

Aging in place starts with an accessible entrance.

Ideally, you'll have a well-lit front door flush with the walkway leading to it. If there are stairs, securely fasten railings on both sides.

Consider what changes would be needed to install a ramp.

If you're planning renovations, make it easier to age in place by considering some minor add-ons.

Door replacements should be at least 36 inches (90 centimetres) wide to allow wheelchair or walker access if needed.

A new shower should have no curb for unimpeded access, and consider a bidet for a hygienic, hands-free alternative to a traditional toilet.

Lever-style handles on faucets are easier to operate than ones you must grab.

Better yet, install motion- or voice-activated ones. They're convenient for rinsing germy hands during meal preparations, and they're a pain-free option if arthritis becomes an issue later in life

Sufficient lighting is essential to help with fading eyesight.

Install plenty of lighting in the kitchen for safely chopping food and other tasks.

Smart-home systems make it easy to control the lights and can be voice-activated, so you don't have to walk into a dark room and risk tripping.

If you're working with an OT, you can learn what to expect and confirm their registration through the College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario at coto.org/ot.





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- •Inverted triangle. Balance your proportions by pairing a high neckline and long sleeves with a slit or asymmetrical skirt that emphasizes your legs.
- Round. Opt for the flowing skirts of an empire-waist gown, and provide support for your chest with a boat neckline and an elegant offthe-shoulder look.
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SPARTANS AND STINGERS

Timiskaming District Secondary School recently hosted the 23-team Chris Collins Memorial Basketball Challenge in honour of the former principal who championed education and sports. Grade 7 and 8 players from the Englehart High School-Elementary Spartans and the New Liskeard Public School Stingers, seen here, had fun playing in the tourney March 22. (Staff photo by Sue Nielsen)

Northeastern OPP report tragic tally on Easter weekend

Continued from page 3 over the long weekend.

According to preliminary statistics, police laid a total of 539 charges across the region during the annual enforcement initiative, which ran April 7 through 10.

Speeding accounted for more than half, at 306 charges.

Next on the list were 50 charges under the Compulsory Automobile Insurance Act.

A focus of this year's campaign was seatbelt enforcement, and police laid 37 charges related to seatbelt use.

"Most motorists were observed wearing their seatbelts and driving safely," police said.

"However, a heavy police presence on the highways wasn't enough to deter a minority of drivers who continue to engage in unsafe driving behaviour."

Nine impaired driving charges were laid, as well as four charges related to offences under the Cannabis Control Act.

Stunt/racing, distracted

driving, and Liquor License Control Act offences each accounted for five charges.

Northeastern OPP officers made a total of 1,280 traffic stops and issued 582 warnings.

Across Ontario, OPP officers laid 5,186 speeding charges and another 129 for stunt-racing.

The provincial tally included 141 charges related to impaired driving, 137 for distracted driving, and 1,507 for seatbelt infractions.

Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Step into Spring! Walking for health

With warmer weather arriving, many of us are looking to get outside and walk more. The health benefits of walking are endless, and experts agree that by adding walking to your routine, you can improve not only your physical health, but your mental health as well!

The key is to walk, ideally, for at least 30 minutes per day. Walking has tremendous benefits, from supporting a healthy immune system to boosting your metabolism to strengthening your joints, muscles, and bones. It's also amazing for stress relief!

1. Walking will improve your mood

Research shows that just 10 minutes of walking can lift your spirits.

It will help you burn calories and maintain a healthy weight
Regular walking can help reduce belly fat and, as a result,
improve your body's response to insulin. Daily walking increases
metabolism by burning extra calories and by preventing muscle
loss, which is especially important as we get older.

3. Walking can alleviate joint pain

Contrary to what you might think, walking can help improve your range of motion and mobility because it helps strengthen the muscles surrounding your joints. Research shows that walking for at least 10 minutes a day, or about an hour every week, can reduce arthritis pain in older adults.

4. Walking can delay the onset of varicose veins

As we age, our risk of varicose veins increases. Walking is a proven way to prevent them from developing. If you already suffer from varicose veins, daily walking can help ease related swelling and restlessness in your legs.

5. Walking can improve your sleep

Studies have found that healthy adults who walk daily have a significant positive impact on sleep quality and length of sleep.

Looking for a more intense walk? Urban poling (also known as Nordic walking) has toning, calorie-burning and posture benefits that have made it popular in Europe for decades and a new workout favourite in Canada. Just grab a set of urban walking poles and go.

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Beware of online sextortion

DISTRICT (Special) — Online scammers are asking people for nude photos and money, leading the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) and law enforcement partners to issue a joint warning about financial sextortion.

Law enforcement wants people to know how to protect yourself and those around you from this crime.

Financial sextortion is online blackmail and it's on the rise.

It involves someone asking individuals to send them sexual images or videos and then threatening to share them with others unless the individual pays them. Offenders often pass themselves off as girls of a similar age and use fake accounts to target youth, tricking them into sending explicit photos or videos. The offender then threatens to release the sexually explicit materials unless they receive money from the victims.

They rely on threats and aggressive behavior to get you to send them what they want. It is important that people remember law enforcement can help in these instances.

Sextortion is a public safety crisis affecting youth and it involves crimes that anyone can fall victim to, including children.

Youth can be targeted through their phones, home computers and gaming consoles, at school and in their homes and other public places.

According to Cybertip.ca, 87 per cent of sextortion incidents affected boys, and that white boys represent the majority of reported victims.

WAYS TO COMBAT SEXTORTION

Anyone can be victimized and there are resources available to help.

Police say stop all communication with the offender and deactivate your account, but do not delete your social media account.

Save a copy of any images sent and take screen shots of messages and the person's profile including their user name.

Do not give in to threats, do not send money or more images. Reach out to a trusted adult and report what happened.

The offender may try to make you feel like your life is over but you are not alone and life can go on after these threats.

Kids Help Phone can provide urgent support in terms of emotional support and steps on what to do next.

Answers for Crossword Puzzle

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HOROSCOPE

WEEK OF APRIL 23 TO 29, 2023 The luckiest signs this week: Cancer, Leo and Virgo

March 21 - April 19



ARIES A few people will gather at your home, especially if you have young children; they'll invite all their friends. You may have a big clean-up afterward.

April 20 - May 20



TAURUS You should be able to indulge in a bit of luxury. You may run into friends you haven't seen for a long time and talk to them for hours.

May 21 - June 21



GEMINI You'll expand your summer wardrobe by shopping online and in-store. You'll be influenced by your friends to abuse your budget. Some comments will be inappropriate.

June 22 - July 22



CANCER You'll set in motion specific ideas and other promising initiatives. You'll bring several people together for a large-scale project and overcome your financial worries.

July 23 - August 22



LEO You'll enjoy going to a spa or wellness clinic for relaxation. You need to recharge your batteries and rest to regain your vitality.

August 23 - September 22



VIRGO You'll be involved in a significant project as part of a well-oiled team. The project will be completed efficiently, and the results will delight you. You must take some quiet time at home to recover.

September 23 - October 22



LIBRA You must carefully manage your personal and professional activities. You have many responsibilities on your shoulders. A sudden epiphany will strike you about your career,

October 23 - November 21



SCORPIO You'll go on a spontaneous trip or getaway soon. It may be more spiritual; a pilgrimage would be a most rewarding adventure.

November 22 - December 21



SAGITTARIUS You're craving change. You're bored with daily life and routine. You need to transform your reality to experience more passion and stimulation.

December 22 - January 19



CAPRICORN It's hard to please everyone, but this is the kind of miracle you can accomplish. You'll complete a task or make a deal you thought impossible at work.

January 20 - February 18



AQUARIUS You'll have many emergencies to deal with at work or elsewhere. You're a strong person and will manage to bring order to everything with sensitivity, humanity and empathy.

February 19 - March 20



PISCES After a tough negotiation, you'll find yourself on a pedestal, much to your surprise. A family situation could leave you perplexed, and you'll have no choice but to deal with it.

ACROSS

- 1. Random try
- 5. Thorn
- 9. Frenzied
- Adjust, as a radio
- Burn-soothing plant 13.
- Polar sight
- 15. Everywhere
- "Murder, 17. Wrote"
- Title giver 18.
- Left out 19.
- 21. TV's Arkin
- 23. Realize
- 24. Summertime forecast
- 26. Shed tears
- 28. Bottle
- 32. Turn over leaf: 2 wds.
- 34. Form of address
- 36 ."Cool Hand ___
- 37. Doc
- 39. Canola
- 41. Burrow
- 42. Soft drink
- Average-length skirt
- 46. Plots
- Wool-eating insects
- 53. Moreover
- Opinion piece 54.
- 56. Exist
- 57. So long, in Liverpool: 2 wds.
- 58. Beauty spot
- 59. Paint the town
- 60. Musher's vehicle
- Winter crystals

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DOWN

- Confound
- 2. Salad fish
- 3. Like cartoons
- Slanting edge
- 5. Banish
- 6. Additionally
- 7. **Drifts**
- 8. Creed
- 9. Gentle rain
- 10. Pain
- Action 11.
- 16. Stats for Dodgers
- 20. Swiss archer
- 22. Digits: abbr.
- 24. Bad actor
- 25. _ at a time
- 27. Life story, briefly
- 29. Tryout
- 30. lodge (winter resort)
- 31. Beer quantity
- 33. Dry with a cloth
- 35. Margin
- 38. Celestial bodies with tails
- 40. Chauffeured car
- 43. Bicycle lever
- 45. College housing
- 46. Night-sky sight
- 47. Essence
- 48. Cultivated
- 49. Locale
- 51. Ring of light
- 52. Large amount
- 55. Smidgen





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Join the fight against cancer

Cancer is the leading cause of death in this country, with some 30 per cent of Canadians dying from one type of cancer or another. In April, Daffodil Month, the Canadian Cancer Society asks the public to spare a thought for all those who are affected by this disease and to do something concrete in the fight against cancer.

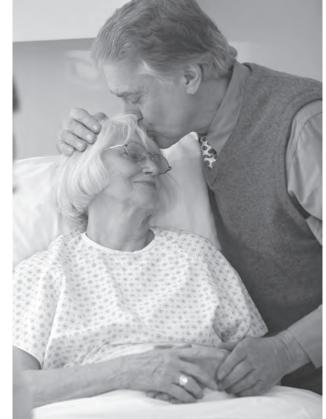
Despite progress — the survival rate is now at 63 per cent — more Canadians die of cancer than any other disease. That's why funding activities are organized throughout the month of April to help prevent cancer and fund research; it's so that one day we can win the battle against this disease that kills 210 Canadians every day.



You can contribute to the fight against cancer by purchasing a bouquet of daffodils, which are a symbol of renewal, hope and courage. You can also wear a daffodil pin as a sign of solidarity with those who are fighting for their lives; you'll be doing so along with all their families, and with the families of those who have lost their battle. You can also donate time or money or help raise funds.

Lastly, you can fight against cancer by taking care of your health and minimizing your risk of developing this disease. Even though you have no control over your age and your genes, you can control other risk factors, such as smoking, alcohol use, physical inactivity, chronic stress and sun exposure.

To learn more about cancer visit www.cancer.ca.







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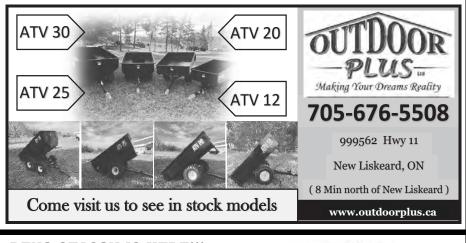
"This April, we honour the resiliency of those fighting back against cancer. We'd like to take a moment to recognize all our community partners working to support individuals and their families during their fight. Please support cancer research by purchasing daffodils." Mike Baker, President & CEO

Friday, April 21, 2023

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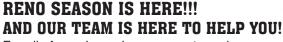
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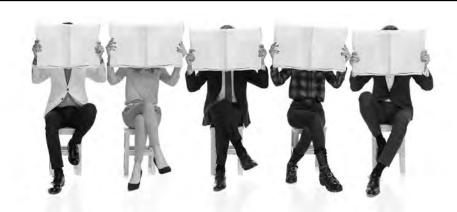


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COMMUNION AND SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Wayne is available to give out Communion and hear confessions by appointment. Please call the office, 705-647-5035, to make arrangements.

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.

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

CHURCH SERVICES & more...

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH welcomes you to Sunday services at 70 Wellington St. in New Liskeard, beginning at 10:30 AM. This Sunday, please join us when our worship leader will be Aaron Palmer. Next Sunday, April 30th our worship leader will be Kevin Runnalls "Prayer, the original wireless connection". For more information on our services and outreach programs, check out our Facebook page at facebook.com/stpaulsnewliskeard or phone 705 647 4171

TOMSTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - worship is every 3rd Sunday of the month at 10:00am. 120th Anniversary Celebration will be held Sunday, June 18th, 2023 at 10:00am. Light lunch and fellowship to follow. We would like to extend an invitation to Celebrate with us.

THE SALVATION ARMY TIMISKAMING COM-MUNITY CHURCH AND COMMUNITY SER-VICES. 260 Whitewood Ave. New Liskeard. Tel: 647-4115 Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour Tuesday 10 a.m. Bible Study 11 a.m. Women's ministry every second Wednesday 1 p.m. Men's breakfast every third Saturday 8:30 a.m. Food Bank by appointment call 647-4030.

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

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

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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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TENDER



REQUEST FOR TENDER RFT NO. 2023-02

THE TOWNSHIP INVITES QUALIFIED BIDDERS TO TENDER FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MALE AND FEMALE CHANGEROOMS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS PREPARED BY THE CONSULTANT, CENYAR CONSULTANCY INC.

SEALED TENDERS, clearly marked as to contents, will be received by the Township until 2:00 p.m. local time on:

Monday, June 12, 2023

THE TENDER must be accompanied by a certified cheque or bid bond not less than the amount stipulated in the Tender and Bonding Requirements must accompany each tender.

FORMS may be obtained by visiting our website at www.armstrongtownship.com.

QUESTIONS: Contact Cenyar Consultancy Inc at earltonpool@gmail.com

LOWEST or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

LIVESTOCK & FARM PRODUCTS

TEMISKAMING COMMUNITY PASTURE- Annual meeting May 4th, 2023 at 7:30pm at the Chamber of Commerce in New Liskeard, beside McDonalds. Refreshments will be served, limited seating.. Call Carol at 705-647-6161 or Kyle at 705-622-9469.

ATTENTION ALL FARMERS!!!- Temiskaming Livestock Exchange Machinery Sale on Saturday May 6th, 2023 at 11:00am. Horse and tack sale Saturday May 13th, 2023 at 11:00am. For more information call 705-647-5415 or 705-544-3508.

WANTED - Dion thrashing machine 22 x 32 or 22 x 38. International grain binder. Phone evenings 905-983-9331.

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Chris Aitchison 705-650-1563

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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.

DRYWALL, PLASTER, framing, decks, flooring, tiling etc. for both residential and commercial buildings. Over 16 years experience. Free estimates. Call 705-648-4884. Please leave a message.

PREGNANT AND NEED HELP? Email: pregnancycarehelp@outlook.com

HAPPY CAMPER CLEANING- Residential cleaning service for seniors. Many years experience. Fair prices. Call Kristine at 705-679-4258

TAOIST TAI CHI- 33 Niven St New Liskeard. Introduction to Tai chi sessions being held on Fridays. For more information contact us at newliskeard@taoist.org or 705-622-5859.

SALES & SERVICES DIRECTORY

To be a part of our

directory contact:

The Speaker office at

705-647-6791

ext. 227 or ext. 228

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For More Information Call 705 672-3363 Write to The City of Temiskaming Shores, P.O. Box 2050, Haileybury, ON POJ 1K0 or Visit our Website: www.temiskamingshores.ca

Council & Committee MEETINGS

Committee of the Whole Tuesday, May 2, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.

- City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Regular Council Meeting Tuesday, May 16, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.

- City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, June 6, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.

- City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Regular Council Meetings are live-streamed on the City's Facebook page. **Question and Answer**

Question and Answer Period during Regular Council meetings is 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 may submit in writing or via email to questions@ temiskamingshores.ca. The questions received by 3:00 p.m. on the meeting day will be read aloud during the Question-and-Answer Period.

Note: Any 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 Kelly Conlin 705-672-3363 Ext. 4116 kconlin@temiskamingshores.ca

AGE FRIENDLY/GET ACTIVE PROGRAMS. For more information contact Lynn Julien at 705-647-5709 or ljulien@temiskamingshores.ca Registration required for Women's exercise class and line dancing class.

Tuesday - Women's Exerc. Group: 9:00am - April 25th, Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena

Beginner Line Dancing: 10:00am - May 2nd, Lawrence "Bun" Eckensviller Community Hall

Wednesday - Aquafitness: 9:00am - April 19th and 26th, Seniors drop-in rate of \$6.75, Pool and Fitness Centre

Adult Swim: 12:00pm - April 19th and 26th, Senior drop-in rate of \$4.25, Pool and Fitness Centre

Thursday - Women's Exerc. Group: 9:00am - April 20th and 27th, Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena

Indoor Walking: 9:00am - April 20th, Northern College Gymnasium, Haileybury

Intermediate Line Dancing: 11:00am - April 20th and 27th, Shelley Herbert Shea Memorial Arena

Friday - Pickleball: 9:00am - April 21st, Lawrence "Bun" Eckensviller Community Hall

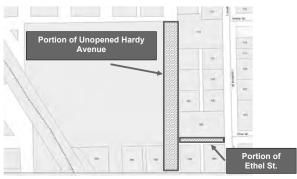
Adult Swim: 12:00pm - April 21st and 28th, Senior drop-in rate of \$4.25, Pool and Fitness Centre

Bowling: 1:30pm – April 28th, \$3 Tri-Town Bowling Lanes, Haileybury

Notice of Proposed By-law Stop Up and Close of a roadway(s)

Notice is hereby given in accordance with By-law No. 2004-022 in respect to the permanent closure of an both an opened and unopened roadway(s)

This public notice is being given to advise the public that Council will be considering the adoption of a by-law to Stop up and Close part of the road allowances described on Plan M54NB; as shown in the key map below and known as a portion of Ethel Street and the Unopened Road Allowance known as Hardy Avenue. The By-laws will be considered at the May 16, 2023 Regular Council meeting held in Council Chambers at City Hall 325 Farr Drive in Haileybury, commencing at 6:00 p.m.



Key Map

This map is provided for illustrative purposes.

Further information:

Kelly Conlin, Municipal Clerk

Email: clerk@temiskamingshores.ca

Telephone: 705-672-3363 ext. 4136

Dated: April 13, 2023

Part Time Head Lifeguard Competition No. 2023-012 \$22.07 per hour (pension benefits in addition)

The City of Temiskaming Shores is currently seeking a Part Time Head Lifequard within the Recreation Department. The position provides

Hours of work: hours vary between 8:00am to 4:00pm (average 10 hours/week)

The Head Lifeguard is responsible for lifeguarding various swim programs, instructing all levels of aquatic lessons, and supervising the pool facility.

The successful candidate will possess the following qualifications

Current Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard-Pool, Current Standard First Aid with CPR C, Current Lifesaving Society Swim and Lifesaving Instructor and Emergency First Aid Instructor.

Applicants are encouraged to submit their cover letter and resume quoting Job Competition No. 2023-012 no later than April 21st, 2023 regular mail or email to:

Shelly Zubyck; Director of Corporate Services P.O. Box 2050; Haileybury, Ontario P0J IK0 szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

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



Application for Consent Notice of Complete Application And Notice of Statutory Public Hearing Committee of Adjustment

Under Section 53 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 c.P.13 The City of Temiskaming Shores has received the following

application for consent to sever: File #: B-2023-02

Owner: RioPlaza Properties Inc.

Property: 883003 Highway 65 A public meeting will be held to consider the consent

Date: Wednesday, April 26, 2023

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Place: Haileybury Boardroom at City Hall, 325 Farr Drive,

Haileybury

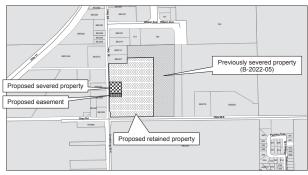
Please contact the undersigned for alternative participation

The applicant is proposing to sever a 56m x 58m (184.5' x 192.6') parcel from the front portion of the property, as well as a 20m x 58m (66' x 192.6') wide easement along the existing southernmost entrance to the property from Highway 65. The proposed severed property would be for future commercial development. and the proposed easement would grant access to the proposed severed property across the proposed retained property. The proposed retained property contains the existing Temiskaming Square mall.

This property was the subject of consent application B-2022-05, which was conditionally approved on September 28, 2022. The purpose of the application was to sever the rear portion of the property, between the existing mall building and the Grant Drive extension, as a property for future commercial development.

The subject property is designated Mixed Use Areas in the City of Temiskaming Shores Official Plan and is zoned Highway Commercial (C2) in the City of Temiskaming Shores Zoning By-law.

Key Map



Additional information about the consent application is available by contacting the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of April, 2023.

Jennifer Pye, MCIP, RPP; Secretary-Treasurer, Committee of Adjustment; City of Temiskaming Shores; 325 Farr Drive, PO Box 2050 Haileybury, ON P0J 1K0; Tel: 705-672-3363 ext. 4105 ipye@temiskamingshores.ca

Full Time Receptionist Competition No. 2023-011 \$22.07 – \$24.68 per hour

(Health, Dental, Disability, Life Insurance and Pension Benefits in addition)

The City of Temiskaming Shores is currently seeking a Full Time Receptionist within the Recreation Department. The position provides general reception duties the Pool and Fitness Centre dealing with the public, staff, outside groups and agencies. The Receptionist is responsible for confidential, secretarial and administrative duties.

Hours of work: Monday to Friday 3:00pm to 9:00pm (30 hours per week).

The successful candidate will possess the following qualifications and education:

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

Applicants are encouraged to submit their cover letter and resume quoting **Job Competition No. 2023-011** no later than **April 21**st, **2023** regular mail or email to:

Shelly Zubyck; Director of Corporate Services P.O. Box 2050; Haileybury, Ontario P0J IK0 szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

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Barbecue Safety Grilled to perfection every time!

USE BBQS OUTDOORS ONLY! They produce *carbon monoxide*, a poisonous gas that can lead to unconsciousness and even death. Never use or store propane cylinders inside any structure, including garages.

Take these steps when starting a BBQ:

- Open the hood.
- Turn on the gas release valve on the tank.
- Turn on the grill controls or heat settings.
- · Take a step back.
- · Push the igniter button.
- If there is no igniter button, insert a long match or BBQ lighter through the side burner hole first, then turn on the heat control knob.
- If the burner does not ignite right away, turn the gas off and wait five minutes, keeping the hood open, before repeating the procedure.

At the start of the BBQ season, do this THREE-STEP SAFETY CHECK of your BBQ:

1 CLEAN Use a pipe cleaner or wire to ensure burner ports are free of rust, dirt, spider webs or other debris.

2 CHECK Examine the hose leading from the tank to the burners. Replace it if cracked or damaged.

3 TEST Find leaks by applying a 50/50 solution of water and dish soap to propane cylinder connections and hoses. If bubbles appear, tighten the connection and/or replace the damaged parts and retest.

Stay Fire Safe!

Never leave the BBQ unattended when in use.

Make sure grease does not build up on the burners or at the base of the BBQ. This could cause a grease fire.

Never throw water on a grease fire – this will only spread the flame.

DO NOT place the BBQ close to wooden fences or walls, vinyl siding, or anything that can burn. The area behind your BBQ must be free of anything that can ignite – this is where hot gases escape.

Keep loose clothing away from a hot BBQ.

Keep children and pets at least one metre (three feet) away from a hot BBQ.

When finished barbecuing, turn the gas valve off first, then turn off the burner controls so no gas is left in the connecting hose. Allow the BBQ to cool completely before closing the cover. If you live in an apartment or condo building, check with the building owner or property manager, or the Condominium Act of your building, regarding the use of BBQs on your building's balconies.

* SAFETY TIPS COURTESY OF THE TECHNICAL STANDARDS AND SAFETY AUTHORITY / WWW.SAFETYINFO.CA

Jocelyn Plante Fire Prevention Offier Temiskaming Shores Fire Dept. 705-672-3363 Office of the Fire Marshal and Emergency Management ontario.ca/firemarshal

Facilities

- The Pool and Fitness Centre is OPEN
- o Regular Hours:
 - Monday to Friday 6am to 8:30pm
 - Saturdays 8am to 6pm
 - Sundays 10am to 4:30pm
- o Our Pool schedule is available on our website: www.temiskamingshores.ca/poolschedule/
- Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena is CLOSED
- Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena is CLOSED
- Meeting/Event Spaces are **OPEN** for rentals. Contact us for more information.

Parks, Trails, and Greenspaces

All outdoor facilities are CLOSED for the season. Facilities will reopen once spring inspections

RECREATION UPDATE

and repairs are completed.

Trails will reopen once spring maintenance has been completed.

Minor Bal

Youth Slo-Pitch is back this summer! Registration is NOW OPEN for youth ages 5 to 17. The league will run approximately 12 weeks beginning in May with final schedules and details being determined after registration is over.

Registration is \$50 for residents and \$62.50 for non-residents. Please ensure you are registering your child based upon their age as of January 1, 2023.

Register today through this link https://app.bookking.ca/temiskamingshorespub/courses/registration runs until May 1st.

For more information, please contact Alex Regele at alexregele@hotmail.com

TEMISKAMING SHORES PUBLIC LIBRARY

TSPL Library Board Meeting: The next Board Meeting will be held at the library on Wednesday, April 26 at 7:00 pm.

Library Hours:

Mondays: 10-4

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

From Soup to Tomatoes: An Exercise

Program Are you an older Adult? Are you hoping you can keep your strength and stay independent? Do you struggle with mobility, standing and regular exercise? Join others to socialize and participate in a FREE chairbased exercise program for seniors. The class is led by Eleanor Katona, a local volunteer, and is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Temiskaming Shores Public Library in the Programming Room, at 11:15 a.m. For more information, contact Eleanor Katona at 705-647-8002.

Spring Preschool Storytime The Library's

Northern College Satellite Service Hours

Monday through Thursday: 8-8 Fridays: 8-4

Saturdays and Sundays: 10-3

Spring Preschool Storytime will be starting up again on Wednesday, April 5, and running until Wednesday, May 31. This program is for preschool aged children accompanied by an adult. The program starts at 10:00 and finishes at 10:30 but then parents and little ones usually socialize and choose books to borrow. Drop in to take part in this fun FREE program!

Family Story Time The Temiskaming Shores Public Library is introducing a new Storytime into the mix. Preschool Storytime has been a part of our library for decades but we don't want the bigger kids to feel left out any longer. We are pleased to introduce our Family Story

Time, a FREE drop-in program for parents and their children! The next program will be held in the Library's programming room on:

Saturday, April 22, from 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

There is no need to pre-register for this FREE drop-in program.

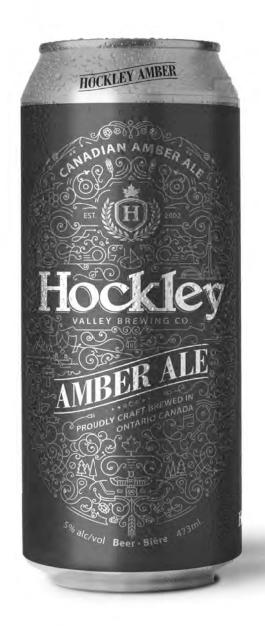
Gadget Helper Do you need some help with your tablet or device? If so, you can book a FREE Gadget Helper appointment at the library! We offer weekly 45-minute one-on-one timeslots on Thursdays. The Gadget Helper program can help patrons with topics from learning to navigate the basics of a new device to downloading ebooks and accessing online resources and even troubleshooting hardware and software issues. Call the library to book an appointment!

PebbleGo Animals, Science and Dinosaurs

The award-winning PebbleGo Animals, Science and Dinosaurs databases from Capstone Digital Publishers offers information on hundreds of animals, science subjects and dinosaurs. Designed specifically for K-3 emergent readers, PebbleGo databases include activities, videos, pictures, lesson plans and articles on each subject. To access, click the E-Resources tab on the library's website and look under **Children's resources**. Have your 14 digit library card ready to log in and enjoy this fun resource for kids!

For more information about any of these programs please call us at 705-647-4215, email us at info@temisklibrary.com or pop into the library and

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